THE WEATHER
Fair tonight; Friday, increasing cloudiness and rising temperature; moderate winds.

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FIGHTING CONTINUES IN GERMANY

WALSH SAYS HE'S NOT CANDIDATE

Junior Senator Calls Reports of Candidates For Delegates "Local Enthusiasm"

Movement To Have N. E. Delegates Stand by Walsh on Anti-Treaty Issue

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Senator Walsh of Massachusetts said today he was not a candidate for the democratic nomination for president. He characterized as "local enthusiasm"

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NO FRESHET SIGNS YET

Merrimack River Is About Normal—Water Near Six Feet Over Dam

The Merrimack river was a fraction of a foot lower at the Pawtucket dam at 6.30 o'clock this morning that it was yesterday at the same hour. The height was measured at 88.17 feet today, against 88.60 yesterday. Today the water is standing five and one-half on the dam, which is between six and eight feet above moderate water, although not greatly in excess of the normal for this time of year.

The flash boards are gradually giving away under the strain, giving the appearance of a great volume of water in some places. Some ice above the dam has broken from the main sheet but the real breaking up process has not begun.

Comparatively little water ran in the city today. Many places are bone dry, but even where snow and ice still remain, there was practically no melting going on.

THE NEW HIGH SCHOOL AND THE OLD

Lowell's new high school building is going to cost a million and a half dollars more than the old high school now standing in Kirk st. cost when it was erected in 1893, according to figures concerning both buildings available at the city auditor's office. The figures give a striking example of the increase in the cost of materials, labor, etc., in the last quarter of a century.

The money appropriated for the new building upon which Contractor Daniel H. Walker has just started work totals $1,750,000. The old high school building when completed cost the city $199,276.65, or $1,550,723.35 less than the new building will cost. In both instances, all incidental expenses are included.

It took two years to erect the old school, the time estimated by Mr. Walker for the erection of the new structure. The old building was started in 1891 and finished in 1893. It was built by a commission as in the case of the new building.

Six years after the Kirk street building was opened the school department authorities found that they must have more room and the Paige street annex was erected. This also took two years, being started in 1899 and finished in 1901. It cost $85,901.30 and was erected by the public buildings department.

NEW YORK CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, March 18.—Exchanges, $884,667,258; balances $111,388,932.

Own a "Dort"—You'll like it.

Notice to Architects

The Greek Orthodox community of Lowell, Mass., is contemplating building a school building.

All architects wishing to submit competitive plans are asked to write to the secretary of the community before March 21, so that an appointment may be made for him to receive all requirements of the competition. Write to secretary of the Greek Orthodox community, Greek church, Lowell, Mass.

IMPASSABLE STREETS
Blocked, frozen hydrants EMPHASIZE the necessity of Adequate Fire Insurance.
FRED C. CHURCH
53 CENTRAL STREET

EX-CZAR'S SISTER FOUND IN CAR

Grand Duchess Olga Located by American Red Cross Workers

One of Three Surviving Members of House of Romanoff Clad in Rags

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Grand Duchess Olga, sister of the late Czar Nicholas of Russia, has been found by American Red Cross workers living in a box car near Norvorossisk, south Russia, it was announced today at the headquarters of the American Red Cross here.

"The grand duchess, according to the announcement, is one of three surviving members of the house of Romanoff. She was found "toiling among fellow refugees from the territory recently conquered by the Bolsheviki, giving such assistance as she could, although herself clad in rags and grateful for any food and clothing she could find."

DEPORTEES IN DISTRESS

Many Radicals Deported From U. S. Suffering Privations in Russia

MOSCOW, March 12.—Many radicals who were deported from the United States on the steamship Buford have been suffering privations since they arrived in Russia. They have failed to locate their relatives and have not secured employment as yet. Efforts are now being made by Alexander Berkman and Emma Goldman, leaders of the deportees, to form an organization which will give employment to members of the party who are in distress, and care for them pending permanent arrangements.

Headquarters of this organization will be established at Petrograd with a branch in Moscow and it is planned to give all deportees from the United States advantage of the facilities it offers.

$650 VERDICT

Against B. & M. For Holding Up Fire Apparatus

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 18.—A jury in the superior court awarded the plaintiff, Leon D. Ingram of Nashua, a verdict of $650 against the Boston & Maine railroad for damages, alleged to have been occasioned by the fire apparatus being held up at a railroad crossing by the lowering of the gates to allow a freight train to pass.

THORPE SIGNS WITH AKRON

AKRON, Ohio, March 18.—Jim Thorpe, noted athlete and a leading hitter in the National league last season, today signed a contract with the Akron club of the International league. Thorpe was purchased by Akron from the Boston Nationals.

PUBLISHER BICKNELL DEAD

FORT WAYNE, Ind., March 18.—Clarence E. Bicknell, president of the News Publishing Co., and publisher of the Fort Wayne News and Sentinel, died at a hospital here early today.

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Management

The principle underlying the management of The Old Lowell National Bank is that of making positive safety a matter of first consideration.

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RESERVATIONS ARE REJECTED

Senate Resumes Consideration of Treaty—Proposals by Reed Defeated

Final Vote on Ratification of Pact Seemed Probable Early Today

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Resuming consideration of pending reservations to the peace treaty, the senate soon after meeting today rejected, 48 to 27, a reservation presented by Senator Reed, democrat, Missouri, which would reserve to the United States for decision questions affecting "its national honor or its vital interests."

The senate then defeated another reservation by Senator Reed providing that the United States would refuse to assume any obligation to employ its military or naval forces, its resources or any form of economic discrimination, under any article of the league covenant.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Final vote on ratification of the peace treaty seemed probable today. While plans were not being made for a showdown before tomorrow and perhaps not until Saturday, senate leaders were prepared to put the pact to a test immediately, if all the remaining reservations were disposed of before adjournment. A night session was regarded as likely in the event it seemed possibel to bring a conclusion to the famous controversy which has been before the senate many months.

The presence of William Jennings Bryan and his influence to persuade the democrats to accept the best compromise they could obtain on the reservations submitted by the republicans so that the treaty might be ratified before the presidential election, gave added uncertainty to the outcome of the ratification vote, despite the almost solid alignment of the minority yesterday against the Lenroot reservation to declare this country's policy toward future European wars.

About a dozen reservations remain to be acted upon, but all are concerned with minor questions unlikely to provoke much speechmaking. Debate has been limited by agreement to 15 minutes for each speaker on each reservation.

EVANS WHO CUT THROAT IN SERIOUS CONDITION

NEW YORK, March 18.—George Evans, who attempted suicide here last night by cutting his throat with broken glass and is alleged by the police to have confessed to the murder of his wife at New Britain, Conn., was reported in a serious condition at Bellevue hospital today. The police of New Britain have sent an officer here to question him.

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Socket-Fit Shoes
For Men and Women

Bottom of normal foot. Bottom of Socket-Fit Shoe.

Don't forget the shape of your foot. The farther away from its normal shape you get, the more foot trouble you are going to have.

You may not experience any trouble now, but it is sure to show itself sometime. Rheumatism, backaches, kidney troubles, etc., have been traced to wearing improper footwear.

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"Poor Water Pressure
Results in poor Service. It may be your property next. Moral: Carry Adequate Insurance.
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53 Central St.

SENSATION IN POLICE CIRCLES

Patrolman Testifies That Superintendent Refused "To Back Him" Up

In Prosecution of Man and Woman Charged With Statutory Offense

Case in Question Prosecuted in Police Court by Mayor Thompson's Secretary

The first installment of the case of George Macarunis and Minnie Katsuna, arrested about two weeks ago from a house in Salem street by Officers Cooney and Moore, on a statutory charge, was heard by Judge Enright in the municipal court today and promises to become one of the most sensational cases of the year.

A feature of this morning's testimony was the statement made by Officer Moore that Supt. Welch had refused to "back him up" in the prosecution of the case and he had accordingly appealed to the mayor's private secretary, Attorney George Toye, to handle the prosecution.

Another high spot in the session occurred when Macarunis jumped excitedly to his feet during Officer Moore's testimony and shouted: "He's a liar."

Deputy Downey suggested that Macarunis be placed in the prisoner's cage, whereupon D. J. Murphy, counsel for the defense said: "He won't be put in the dock—but some of the police should be there."

Officer Moore was the first to take the stand. In answer to questions by his counsel, Mr. Toye, he said that as a result of complaints received he and Officer Cooney had visited a cottage on Salem street where he had been informed that Macarunis and the woman were living as man and wife.

He was finally admitted by Macarunis, he said, who at first appeared at the door in his night clothes. Macarunis, the officer declared, told him that he was not married to the woman. He had not married her because he had a wife in Greece, whom he hadn't heard from since leaving that country several years ago.

He further admitted, the officer said, that two children had been born to him and the woman during the four years they had lived together. The children were registered as his at city hall, he said, and bore his name.

The Katsuna woman, he said, had also admitted that she was not married to Macarunis. She admitted that the two children were theirs. She also added that she had a husband of her own, the officer stated.

She further stated that her husband came to visit her once every month, according to the officer, and said in conclusion that "she wasn't any worse than lots of other women."

Officer Moore was cross-examined at some length by Atty. Murphy in regard to alleged ill feeling between himself and Macarunis, who, it was brought out, had assisted the police on various occasions during the past two years in their campaign against gambling in coffee houses.

Mr. Murphy referred to a so-called "naturalization club" on Market street, which was raided recently with no results. He stressed the fact that only a few days after the unsuccessful raid Macarunis and the woman had been arrested.

Officer Moore said that he had no ill feeling against Macarunis. He had come to the decision some time ago that Macarunis was "crooked," he said and had not asked his assistance in rounding up alleged gamblers since.

"Have you heard rumors that this so-called naturalization club is protected and that some police officers are receiving $20 weekly from the proprietors?" asked Mr. Murphy.

"No, sir," declared Officer Moore emphatically.

"Are you getting any money from the place?"

"No, sir."

Referring to the arrest of Macarunis Officer Moore said that a relative of the defendant had informed him that Macarunis had a wife in Greece.

This relative had been unwilling to appear in court because he was afraid he "would be shot."

"Would you be surprised to learn that Macarunis and this woman are married to each other?" asked Mr. Murphy.

"I wouldn't be surprised at anything," replied Officer Moore.

In conclusion Officer Moore said that when he found that Supt. Welch was unwilling to back him up in the prosecution of Macarunis, he had appealed to Mr. Toye for aid.

Mr. Toye affirmed this and declared that he was prosecuting the case for the best interests of the police department.

Ebert Resumes Control But Faces Another Extreme Peril in Wave of Radicalism

Americans at Leipsic Appeal to Gen. Allen To Save Their Lives

COBLENZ, March 17—(By Associated Press).—Two hundred Americans who have been attending the fair at Leipsic have telegraphed and telephoned Major General H. T. Allen, commanding the American army of occupatio, urgently asking for help to leave Leipsic where they described conditions as dangerous to their lives. General Allen is sending a special train to bring the Americans away.

Savage Fighting Reported

THE HAGUE, March 17.—Soviet republics have been formed at Dortmund, in Westphalia, and at Gera, 35 miles southwest of Leipsic, according to despatches received here. At the latter place, there has been savage fighting, it is said. In the fighting at Dresden, 50 persons have been killed and 495 wounded, reports state, and the city is isolated from the rest of Germany.

LANDSLIDES EXPENSIVE

Slides in First Street Make Big Hole in Street Department Appropriations

It will cost the street department at least $17,000 to clear away the debris caused by the recent series of landslides in First street, according to Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy. Unless there are further slides the work will take 15 days.

The commissioner has 27 men, 20 carts and a large truck at work filling in the sunken area with cinders obtained free of cost from local manufacturing concerns.

The commissioner is not very optimistic as to the future of the part of the new highway which borders on the territory where the recent slides have occurred. He says there is no assurance that there will not be further slides because of the composition of the soil and the stream of water known to be underneath it.

When the West Roxbury Trap Rock Co., the concern which is constructing the new river highway in that section, first undertook the work, the company officials said that there would be no need of a retaining wall to prevent slides, but late in the year, when it had finished its work for the season, the company came out with a statement that a retaining wall will have to be built in order to insure the safety of the new road. If such a wall is built, the expense will have to be borne by the city.

30,000 PERSONS SAVED FROM STARVATION

DVINSK, March 18.—Thirty thousand persons have been saved from starvation here by the timely arrival of an American Red Cross relief unit from Warsaw. When the Americans arrived with the Polish army, they found the people dying by scores from starvation. Food had been exhausted for two weeks before the Poles reached the city and the remnant of the population was demolishing all wooden houses to procure firewood when relief reached them.

Soup kitchens have been reopened and are now feeding 17,000 children and 50,000 adults.

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Not if you come to us.
See our advertisement on page 15 if you want to save real money.
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SWAN-RUSSELL HATS
WORN BY WELL-DRESSED MEN

YD HERO DIES OF WOUNDS

K. of C. Takes Charge and Plan To Bury Dyer in Potter's Field Abandoned

NEW YORK, March 18.—A grave in potter's field prepared for Oliver D. Dyer of Leominster, Mass., a former private in the 102d Machine Gun Battalion, 26th Division, who died here Tuesday as a result of wounds received in action, was abandoned today when it was announced the body would be buried with full military honors. The Knights of Columbus have taken charge and burial will be in Calvary cemetery tomorrow. A squad of soldiers from Governor's Island will fire a salute at the grave.

The Knights of Columbus became interested in the case when it became known the boy's only near relative was a young half sister, Thelma Tucker, who has been an inmate of a charitable institution in Massachusetts. She was sent for by the organization and arrangements have been made to provide for her support.

When Dyer was discharged from the army after having been gassed and wounded three times, he enlisted in the navy but a short time ago he was discharged for physical disability. He died in the charity ward of the hospital on Blackwell's Island.

COMPLETE RESUMPTION OF FREIGHT TRAFFIC

Although at an early hour this afternoon the local agent of the Boston & Maine railroad had not received official notice of the lifting of all freight embargoes, it was understood that today marks a complete resumption of freight traffic on the entire system. For at least six weeks the system has been hampered in its work by ice and snow, but the situation has so far adjusted itself as to prompt the withdrawal of all embargoes and a subsequent return to normal conditions.

For the past week or more, in addition to the perplexing problems brought about by excessive ice and snow, the real barrier to a quicker return to normal conditions, has been an acute shortage of empty cars. Not that there are fewer cars than usual on the rails, but they have been stalled in remote places and could not be freed for use on the many divisions of the system.

During the period when the rails were covered with heavy ice and cars were solidly frozen into the yards and on sidings, the shopmen abandoned their repair work and joined forces with the trackmen, freight handlers

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REPORT KAPP HAS ENDED LIFE

Collapse of Revolt Followed by Resumption of Authority by Old Government

Chief Task Now To Deal With Disorders Caused by Spartacans

Ebert and Noske Return to Berlin—Arrest of Reactionary Leaders Ordered

(By the Associated Press)

The collapse of the reactionary dictatorship in Berlin has been quickly followed by the resumption of authority on the part of the old government. Its chief task for the moment, it appears, will be to deal with the disordered conditions which the Spartacans are endeavoring to prolong for their own purposes.

Ebert and Noske in Berlin

Despatches stating that Minister of Defense Noske, the strong arm of the constitutional regime, was back on the scene in Berlin, have been followed by reports that President Ebert also had returned to the capital from Stuttgart. Pending his return, Vice Premier Schnaffer, of the Bauer cabinet, took over the direction of affairs relinquished by Dr. Kapp when he gave up his effort to establish a new government.

Report Kapp a Suicide

There are reports current in Berlin that ex-Chancellor Kapp had committed suicide, but these so far lack confirmation. His prosecution together with that of other leaders of the actionary movement, is said to have been ordered by President Ebert.

Reports from Berlin say Dr. Wolfgang Kapp and his adherents have either fled from the city or contemplate going at once. Armed forces of the reactionary element are leaving Berlin today, and the presence of Gustav Noske, minister of defense in the Ebert cabinet, who arrived in Berlin last night by airplane from Stuttgart, would seem to indicate that the constitutional government intends to assume control immediately. General von Seecht, President Ebert's chief of staff, has been named commander of government forces in Berlin.

Fear Radical Uprisings

Announcements by Dr. Kapp as well as official statements from the officials of the Ebert government, reflect the fear o fa radical uprising in Germany. In fact Dr. Kapp's announcement stated he had resigned from the direction of affairs so that the country might be enabled to fight Bolshevism. From various cities come reports of uprisings of workers and advices from Berlin state that red forces, under command of Spartacist leaders are marching on that city. As the Ebert

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DANCING LINCOLN HALL Tomorrow Night
ONE GOOD TIME
Campbell's Banjo Orchestra Tickets, 35¢ Including War Tax

—KASINO TONIGHT—
EDDIE SCHELL BOSTON JAZZ BAND
GET A BEAUTIFUL DOLL FREE
Also Dancing Friday and Saturday Evenings

KIND TREATMENT OF ALL ANIMALS

The sixth annual national Be Kind to Animals Week will be observed during April 12-17 and Humane Sunday on April 18. It is an effort of the American Humane Educational society to encourage good treatment of all animals. The campaign will be given publicity throughout the nation and the aims of the idea brought particularly before the school children. In connection with the campaign the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has announced a prize poster contest for pupils in the schools of Massachusetts as follows:

First prize, $10 cash; second prize, $5 cash; third prize one year's subscription to "Our Dumb Animals;" fourth prize, copy of Jack London's book, "Michael, Brother of Jerry." The prizes will go to those submitting the best humane posters, in each of the following three classes:

Class 1—Posters from pupils in the fifth and sixth grades.

Class 2—Posters from pupils in grammar grades above the sixth.

Class 3—Posters from pupils in high school, training classes, etc. Pupils in advanced and normal art schools will not be eligible to any class.

The object of the contest is to interest the pupils in kindness to animals.

The posters should bring out the idea of kindness and may or may not contain the words "Be Kind to Animals" or give the dates of the campaign. Brief mottoes may also be used, but each poster should tell its own story in the picture.

The drawings may be pencil or crayon, pen and ink, cut paper silhouette, water color, or charcoal but the use of colors is strongly recommended. The drawings will be passed upon by a competent board of judges. All designs must be on cardboard or paper 14 by 20 inches, and the name of the contestant, name and address of the school and the number of the grade must be plainly written in the upper right corner of the back of each poster.

Send all posters flat, not rolled to the Mass. S.P.C.A. 180 Longwood avenue, Boston, no later than Thursday, April 8, 1920.

SHIPPING BOARD SIGNS CONTRACT FOR 12,000,000 BARRELS OF FUEL OIL

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The shipping board announced yesterday that contracts had been signed for more than 12,000,000 barrels of fuel oil for delivery at Gulf ports during the next six months. The contract prices ranged from $1.27 to $1.56 per barrel.

The Mexican Petroleum Corporation accepted a contract to deliver 211,000 barrels per month at Galveston for $1.34 per barrel; $110,000 barrels at Port Arthur for $1.56; 166,000 barrels at New Orleans for $1.40 and 512,000 barrels at Jacksonville at $1.50.

One contract was signed with the Atlantic Gulf Oil Corporation calling for the delivery of 3,600,000 barrels of "light Mexican crude" at $1 per barrel, plus export charges, to be delivered at Tecomel, Mex.

The Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey signed two contracts, the first calling for delivery at New York, Baltimore and Norfolk of 2,925,000 barrels at $2.07 per barrel, but this price will include the government transportation of 80 cents per barrel. The second contract with this company covered topping, storage and redelivery at New York of 2,800,000 barrels of fuel oil at $1.66 which price also included the government transportation charges.

The price of eggs in Washington ranges from 60 to 70 cents a dozen, but just across the Potomac, in Virginia, farmers are having a hard time getting rid of freshly laid eggs for 38 cents a dozen.

SAYS HIS PRESCRIPTION HAS POWERFUL INFLUENCE OVER RHEUMATISM

Discoverer Tells Druggists Not to Take a Cent of Anyone's Money Unless Allenrhu Completely Banishes All Rheumatic Pains and Twinges.

Mr. James H. Allen suffered for years with rheumatism. Many times this terrible disease left him helpless and unable to work.

He finally decided, after years of ceaseless study, that no one can be free from rheumatism until the accumulated impurities, commonly called uric acid deposits, were dissolved in the joints and muscles and expelled from the body.

With this idea in mind he consulted physicians, made experiments and finally compounded a prescription that quickly and completely banished every sign and symptom of rheumatism from his system.

He freely gave his discovery to others who took it, with what might be called marvelous success. After years of urging he decided to let sufferers everywhere know about his discovery through the newspapers. A. W. Dows & Co. have been appointed agent for Allenrhu in this vicinity with the understanding that they will freely return the purchase money to all who state they received no benefit.—Adv.

53 Years Ago

Today the United States Government purchased Alaska for $7,200,000. A good purchase gives lasting satisfaction.

For lasting satisfaction invest in Diamonds at

RICARD'S 123 Central St.

THE DIAMOND HOUSE

The Bon Marché Dry Goods Co.

SPRING OPENING

Finds Our Women's, Misses' and Children's Apparel Sections

Radiant With a Comprehensive Assemblage of New Spring Fashions

Springtime with its blue skies, flashing sunshine and glad spirit of awakening life is reflected in the sprightly fashions for Milady's wear at this joyous season.

The scope of this spring exhibition expresses the spirit of this store in its desire to give its patrons opportunities for securing fashions at home. Mid so much beauty and variety the choosing of a wardrobe becomes delightfully simple and so pleasant.

NEW SUITS FOR SPRING

Hand tailoring of the highest custom character is particularly emphasized in our exclusive and individual New Spring Suits, including exact Paris productions. The new Eton suit with accordion skirt. New 28-inch straight-from-the-shoulder coats are but a few of many. Paris decrees the spring suit shall be of slender lines and that skirts be from seven to twelve inches from the floor. Coats vary in length from the short Eton and box coat to those that reach within ten inches of the bottom of the skirt. Sleeves are three-quarters or full length.

NEW COATS FOR SPRING

Soft lines, graceful drapes and pleatings dominate the new wraps and coats for spring that are developed in new fabrics of delicate texture, ranging from rough tweeds and polo cloth for utility wear to soft duvetyns, bolivias and silk cashmeres.

Novel collars and cuffs, distended pockets, self-cording and fancy stitching are effectively employed as trimmings.

NEW BLOUSES FOR SPRING

One may select hand-made blouses, exquisite in fineness of hand fagoting, hand embroidering, lace insertions and hand run tucks or lingerie blouses made lovely with hand drawn work done in far away Filipino villages, to say nothing of the hundreds of domestic styles.

Of Special Interest Will Be Our Window Display of New Spring Fashions

NEW GOWNS FOR SPRING

Fashion's partiality to taffeta for Spring Frocks. Very appealing are the plain and printed Georgette frocks with patterns outlined effectively with beads. Other Georgette frocks nonchalantly assume cascade draperies at the hip, low waist line or Turkish hip. And many tailored modes in tricotine and tricolette.

NEW SKIRTS FOR SPRING

In separate skirts slender lines prevail, although entire plaited skirts or panels of plaitings give added width to many models. For sports and general wear nothing has quite the popularity of the plaid skirts.

NEW MILLINERY FOR SPRING

A marked Egyptian influence is perhaps a most interesting feature about Sping Millinery. In contour, too, from the land of sphinxes many close fitting, small modes take inspiration. Others of bright lisere, patent leather and glittering cellophane have abruptly upturned brims and brilliant trimmings. Picture hats are developed of horsehair and malines. Typical Sport hats are fashioned of felt and ribbon.

NEW SHOES FOR SPRING

It's the variety to this spring's offering of shoes which makes it interesting. One may be secure in the knowledge of being correctly shod for every occasion when there are endless oxfords, pumps and boots from which to choose—the right sort of footwear with which to replenish one's wardrobe.

NEW HOSIERY FOR SPRING

There never was anything so lovely or so diversified as the many fascinating styles of new hosiery. Clocks are developed in embroidery, drop stitch and lace, forming smart accessories for a street frock or tailleur. With gowns and for these times one must be a bit more elegantly clad—the lace hose is exquisite and of a gossamer texture.

NEW GLOVES FOR SPRING

Gloves to accompany long, short, or three-quarter length sleeves. Women who pride themselves on being correct as to the smallest detail, should choose long gloves of silk or kid as well as very popular mosquetaire slip-on and regulation two-button styles. We feature all styles in silks, chamoisette and kid to harmonize with the costumes of spring.

NEW RIBBONS FOR SPRING

Summer frocks are of a filminess that is enhanced by ribbon decoration. Lingerie, too, is a combination of laces, silks and ribbons. For sashes, bags and millinery purposes, the collection of ribbons in silk, satin and velvet is wide. Metallic embroidered and richly brocaded ribbons are gorgeous in colorings and texture.

NEW UNDERTHINGS FOR SPRING

Springtime colorings have invaded the realm of underthings. But outnumbering them all here are countless cotton creations enhanced by hand sewing, French and Philippine embroidery and Valenciennes lace. The ideal wardrobe will include plenty of both types. Last, but by no means least, are irresistible negligees.

NEW CHILDREN'S APPAREL FOR SPRING

To make adorable children look more adorable is evidently the purpose of the new spring coats and frocks. They are fairy-like in fabric and line and the colors from which one may choose are many.

INFANTS' WEAR FOR SPRING

Mothers who wish to select complete layette or those who seek individual garments for baby, will find that here choice is in no way restricted. Care has been used in development of these wee offerings that baby's delicate skin may not be irritated by tight or rough seams. Daintiness is expressed in the fabrics and fine handiwork which adorns most of the models.

NEW NECKWEAR FOR SPRING

Few frocks could not help be successes, if enhanced with such enhancing neckwear styles as we are now showing here for this time of the season. Very chic are the high collars with jabots of matching lace. Adorable, too, are innumerable styles designed for wear with square cut and rounded neck lines and fashioned of sheer materials such as organdies, voiles, crepes and nels.

NEW BAGS FOR SPRING

Following The Land of Frocks, hand bags of moire take ruffle trimmings—and certainly they deserve to be fashionable, for they are quite the prettiest models shown for some time.

The moire bags which have no ruffle are liberally gathered into composition or metal frames. Other styles in beaded effects and tinsel fabrics are also exceptionally interesting.

NEW CORSETS FOR SPRING

Our corsetieres will help you achieve a graceful figure—and a modish silhouette, too. They will make it their business to see that all measurements are correct and that you are well fitted with corsets best adapted to your individual figure.

MEN AND APPARATUS FOR FIRE DEPT.

At next Tuesday's meeting of the municipal council Commissioner John F. Salmon will present to his brother commissioners the necessity of the immediate appointment of at least ten more men to the fire department to give the city proper protection and the purchase of several pieces of apparatus for the Highlands.

Before Commissioner Salmon can actually purchase new apparatus which he has already tentatively ordered, he must have the approval of the municipal council because the purchases will involve an expenditure of more than $500. Also, in order to appoint new men, he must have some assurance that he will receive money enough to pay their wages and the council is the body to give him this assurance.

The commissioner said this morning that he must have at least ten men at once. The recommendations of J. S. Caldwell, the expert of the New England Insurance Exchange, who was in this city recently, provided for immediate strengthening of the man-power of the department if the city is to be given the insurance rating to a community of this size.

DEATHS

BURNS—Andrew F. Burns, Sr., a well known resident of this city, died yesterday afternoon at his home, 371 Bridge street. Mr. Burns was born in Lowell, Sept. 25, 1859, and had been a resident of Centralville practically all his life. He is survived by his wife, Mary E. (Scahill) Burns; three sons, William A., of Amesbury; Andrew F., Jr., and Charles A. Burns; three brothers, Charles H., George W. and John R. Burns; one sister, Mrs. Ella T. Doran, and three grandchildren. He was a member of the Holy Name society of St. Michael's church and of the Barbers' union. Deceased was one of the best known barbers in the city and one of the oldest in active service up to the time of his illness. In his younger days he was prominent in amateur musical circles, possessing a rich tenor voice and hence he was in great demand.

DAVID—Mrs. Maria J. David died yesterday at her home, 18 Oakland st., aged 84 years, 6 months and 26 days. She is survived by three children, Frederick B. David, Miss Elizabeth W. David and Albert W. David, and one grandson, Marshall S. David. Mrs. David was the widow of Samuel M. David. She was an artist of considerable note, two of her portraits being of ex-Mayors Courtney and Dimon, now hung in the city hall.

DUCHARME—Mrs. Georgianna (Dulliere) Ducharme, died yesterday at her home, 23 Willie avenue, aged 67 years. She leaves her husband, Joseph; five sons, George, Lucien, Ernest and Denery, all of Lowell, and Julien Ducharme of Canada; one daughter, Sister St. Ephrem, superior of the Convent of the Grey Nuns in Moody street; three sisters, Mrs. N. Carrignan, Mrs. Elise Bussiere and Mrs. Victoria Gregoire, all of Canada, and three brothers, David of Fall River and Napoleon and George Dulliere, the latter two of Canada.

RILEY—Mrs. Bridget Riley died last evening at the home of her brother-in-law, John McCluskey, 246 Methuen street. She leaves two nieces, Miss Margaret McCluskey and Miss Margaret Connors, and two nephews, Dr. R. J. McCluskey and John Frank Connors.

LOPES—Manuel Lopes, child of Manuel and Maria Lopes, died this morning at the home of his parents, 43 Short street. The remains were removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

GRIFFIN—Mrs. Mary (O'Connor) Griffin and a well known resident, died today at the Chelmsford Street hospital. She leaves one brother, James O'Connor of Newmarket, N. H., and several nieces and nephews. The body was taken to the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FUNERALS

GOODIER—The funeral of John Goodier took place yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Burial took place in the Edson cemetery.

WOOD—The funeral services of Mrs. Mary F. Sanborn Wood were held yesterday afternoon at her home, 29 Winthrop avenue, and were largely attended. Rev. Elmer F. West, pastor of the Chelmsford Street Free Baptist church, officiated. There was appropriate singing by Mrs. Fred L. Roberts. The floral tributes were many and beautiful. The bearers were Ralph Wood, Royal Ellis, Edgar Whitney and Charles Emerson. Burial took place in the family lot in the Edson cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. West. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

CARNEY—Ivernia Carney, infant daughter of Albert and Mary (Sheridan) Carney, passed away at her home, 73 Billerica street, Wednesday morning after a brief illness. Besides her parents she leaves one sister and four brothers. The funeral took place Wednesday afternoon from the home of her parents, 73 Billerica street at 3 o'clock. Burial was private and took place in the family grave in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertaker William A. Mack.

HEOULAS—The funeral of Christo Heoulas took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 434 Market street. Services were held at the Holy Trinity Greek church in Jefferson street and burial was in Westlawn cemetery under the direction of Undertakers C. H. Molloy's Sons.

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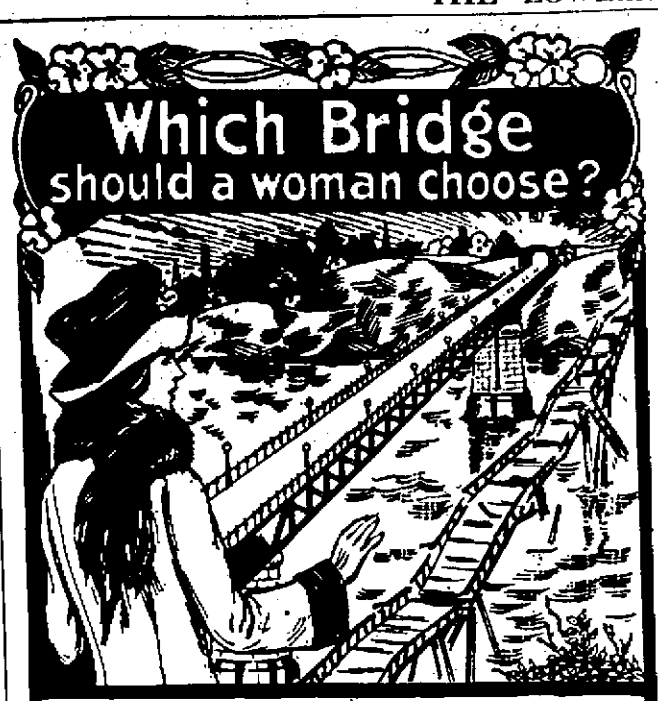

The Weak or the Strong One

If you see before you a strong and safe bridge leading to your goal, would you ignore it and choose some insecure and tottering structure?—

If you were offered sure aid in time of trouble would you hesitate to accept it?—

The answer is simple—you would choose what all evidence showed to be the safe way—and you would risk nothing in useless experiments.

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Gainesville, Tex.—"For three years I suffered untold agony each month with pains in my side. I found only temporary relief in doctor's medicine or anything else I took until my husband and I saw an advertisement of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I mentioned it to a neighbor and she told me she had taken it with good results, and advised me to try it. I was then in bed part of the time, and my doctor said I would have to be operated on, but we decided to try the Vegetable Compound, and I also used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash. I am a dressmaker and am now able to go about my work, and do my housework besides. You are welcome to use this letter as a testimonial as I am always glad to speak a word for your medicine."—Mrs. W. M. Stephens, 202 Harvey St., Gainesville, Texas.

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CATHOLIC WOMEN'S SEWING CLUB

One of the most active departments of the League of Catholic Women is the sewing-club which holds a regular meeting every Friday afternoon at 2.30 in the league rooms. There are many women of the league who attend the meeting and volunteer their help and time in turning out sewing and garments for the different orphanages, charitable organizations and social welfare departments of the city.

The children of St. Peter's orphanage for some time past have been the recipients of various pieces of clothing made by this sewing club and for which directors of the orphanage are very grateful.

The efforts of the club will now turn to making clothes for St. John's hospital, but meantime the women will fulfill a request made by the Lowell guild. The guild has always kept on hand a considerable supply of clothes for the use of the needy poor and it is to replenish this supply and also to do some special work for the nurses that the aid of the sewing club of the League of Catholic Women has been sought.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BURNS—Died at his home, 371 Bridge street, March 17, Andrew F. Burns, Sr. The funeral will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from his home. A solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Michael's church. The burial will take place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Motor cortege.

CULLEN—The funeral of Miss Mary A. Cullen will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 275 Fayette street. Solemn high funeral mass will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Motor cortege. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

DAVID—Died March 17th, Mrs. Maria J. David, aged 84 years, 6 months and 26 days, at her home, 18 Oakland street. Funeral services will be held at 18 Oakland street Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

HANSON—Died March 16, suddenly, Christian Hanson. Funeral services will be held at his home, 8 East Bleachery street, on Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

REYNOLDS—Died at the Lowell General hospital, March 16, Mrs. Agnes (Parsons) Reynolds. The funeral will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. A mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Columba's church. The burial will take place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Motor cortege.

RILEY—The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Riley will take place Saturday morning at 8.45 o'clock from the home of her brother-in-law, John McCluskey, 246 Methuen street. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery, Salem, Mass., in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna. Motor cortege.

COMMUNITY SERVICE ESSAY CONTEST

Approximately 30 high school pupils took part in the essay contest at 3 o'clock this afternoon in connection with the membership campaign of Lowell Community Service, Inc. The general topic to be considered is "What is Community Service?" although allied subjects were allowed.

For the past several days Otto Hockmeyer, president of the corporation, has supplied the pupils with material necessary for a comprehensive preparation of their essays and it is anticipated that many new ideas of wide interest will result.

Six prizes will be given for the six best essays as judged by the members of the English department of the high school and one at a time the winning six will be published in the daily press. The contest this afternoon was supervised by Morton A. Sturtevant, head of the English department.

No official reports of the progress of the membership campaign will be given out until next week, which has been set aside as Community Week, during which the program of work and solicitation will be vigorously pushed. Unofficially, however, it is stated that each mail brings additional memberships to the Community club in Dutton street, which reflects considerable work on the part of the campaign leaders even at this early date.

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BUSINESS MEN MEET AT THE Y.M.C.A.

More than 250 Lowell business men gathered at the Young Men's Christian association this noon for the luncheon held in connection with the evangelistic campaign. This was a substantial increase in attendance over yesterday noon's meeting. Dr. Stephens spoke briefly and stressed the meeting for men to be held in the tabernacle next Sunday afternoon.

Some of the Stephens party went to the mill of the Bay State Cotton Corp. in Marginal street at 12.30 for another in the series of noon-hour meetings for mill people. Henry James played cornet solos and spoke in the interests of the campaign. As has been the case in all other mills, the campaign workers were cordially received.

During the noon hour, also, a meeting for business girls was held at the Paige Street Baptist church, where upwards of 100 young women met Miss Helen Byrnes, who also spoke for a few moments, urging attendance at the tabernacle services.

Girls from the high school stopped at the Y.W.C.A. at 1.30 o'clock on their way home and enjoyed a brief meeting with Mrs. Young in charge. At a previous meeting Mrs. Young interested nearly 100 of the schoolgirls and even a larger number met with her today.

Dr. Stephens preached at the tabernacle this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock on the topic, "Protracted Babyhood." The building was well filled.

The evangelist will preach again tonight, when another capacity audience is expected. On Tuesday and Wednesday nights the tabernacle was filled to the doors by Highlands people, and a particular invitation has been extended to Belvidere residents to attend tonight's service.

Great preparations are being made for the meeting for men Sunday afternoon, when Dr. Stephens will talk on "Hot Cakes From the Griddle."

Walsh Not Candidate

Continued

announcements yesterday by W. J. Buckley of Southbridge, Mass., and Major R. P. Shea of Fitchburg, that they were candidates for district delegates to the national convention pledged to him.

BOSTON, March 18.—A movement to have the New England delegations to the democratic national convention consist of men who will support the opposition of Senator Walsh of Massachusetts to the administration's peace treaty policy was announced by Major Thomas L. Walsh, his brother and law partner today.

The vote of the Massachusetts delegation on the early ballots probably will go to Senator Walsh as the party candidate for president, according to Michael A. O'Leary, chairman of the democratic state committee. Major Walsh said that delegates favorable to Senator Walsh were in the field in every district in the state with the junior senator heading the ticket for delegates at large. Opposition to the Walsh movement has cropped up in two districts, where candidates have appeared against those who favor the senator and his policies.

In effect, Chairman O'Leary said, a delegation from this state favoring Walsh would be considered as unpledged, in that it would be free to turn its support to any candidate after a complimentary vote on early ballots.

No effort was made to elect Walsh delegates in New Hampshire where the primaries were held a week ago, but Major Walsh said that a campaign for delegates who would accept the leadership of Senator Walsh would be made in all other New England states.

The possibility that states outside New England would contribute to the Walsh following at the national convention on the anti-peace treaty issue was suggested by other political associates of the senator, who said that indications to this effect had come from Montana.

Proposed Soviet Republic in Berlin

COPENHAGEN, March 18.—General von Luettwitz, before his withdrawal from the head of the Kapp military forces in Berlin, proposed to Ernest Daumig, the Spartacan leader, the formation of a soviet republic under military protection, according to the Berlin correspondent of the Politiken.

AMERICAN LEGION WILL HOLD SMOKER

The American Legion will hold a smoker and general good time in the Community club rooms this evening. As a part of the entertainment there will be a couple of good amateur boxing bouts after the discussion which will have to do with business matters of the legion. The regular weekly meeting will be held next Monday night.

In the Community league bowling schedule the Army will roll the Navy tonight; the Legion will compete with Jessops tomorrow night; and on Saturday the Cardinals will roll the Community club and the Canadian Vets the Kitchen Mechanics.

Some very exciting contests are expected with these teams. The "Jessops" team is formed mainly from the star players of the Merrimack bowling league, each one of whom is capable of rolling up a steady score generally around the 300 mark.

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HIGH COST OF LIVING IN MONKEY WORLD

Charlotte's finally given up smoking cigarettes. We've managed to persuade her that it's hard on the lungs, and isn't ladylike. As a substitute, she's taken up ice cream cones.

I'm afraid Charlotte must have fallen into mad company when she went overseas with the soldiers. She came to us with an uncontrollable temper and a mania for cigarettes. And she seemed to expect to get exactly what she wanted. She had evidently been boss where she came from and seemed fully determined to act as such when she came to us.

And she had a most highly cultivated appetite with a special fondness for artichokes—cooked, canned or raw. But artichokes came too high so we tried to convince her to adopt some more sustaining and cheaper food.

Oh, but her pride was hurt when she found she couldn't run things with a high hand as she had done in France. We refused to give her any more artichokes, and gradually cut down her supply of cigarettes. She flew into a rage, sulked and wouldn't have a thing to do with any of us.

In retaliation she took to snatching little girls' hats through her cage bars. Leering seductively through the bars of her cage, chuckling and beseeching with alluring grimaces, she enticed them within range. Then Charlotte's arm would snap out with incredible swiftness and snatch the hat from the child's head. Before the little girl could even whimper, Charlotte would mutilate the floral adornments.

This cost us some more money and we tried every way possible to punish her, but she would sit there in the middle of the cage, out of reach and chatter and wag her head at us, simply daring us to do our worst.

Then, suddenly, after all her cussedness, Charlotte became convinced that she was losing all her friends. She became quiet and friendly. Children could approach her cage with perfect safety, and Charlotte even condescended to shake hands with a few.

We're still suspicious of her intentions, because she's mischievous and has a mighty quick brain. As a payment for her continued good behavior we are feeding her ice cream cones in the hope that it will tend to make her act more refined and ladylike. She can be nice when she wants to, but she's so saucy and independent we can't tell what she'll do next.

As a resident of West Philadelphia was entering the street in which he liver a fierce blast of the blizzard through which he was struggling blew off his hat and it went rolling up the street. Struggling along with it, he found it waiting for him, wedged against his own doorstep.

Own a "Dort"—You'll like it.

A Child's Soft Teeth Are Easily Injured

The teeth of young children are not yet thoroughly calcified; many have naturally soft, chalky teeth. Many tooth pastes contain pumice, powdered oyster-shell, acid-calcium-phosphate. Prof. Gies of Columbia College found one of these which was gritty enough to scratch glass! It is well for mothers to be careful.

A great many professional men allow only Albodon Dental Cream to be used in their homes. Dr. Henry R. Kreider, professor of chemistry at Toledo University, considers it a superior preparation, and the children of the Rochester Orphan Asylum have their "tooth drills" with it.

Albodon is calcium carbonate, saponified and mixed with the well-known oils of cloves, cinnamon and eucalyptus. It is peculiarly effective and safe for women and children. A tube lasting five weeks can be bought for 25c at any drug store.—Adv.

EVE STARTS ON 3000 MILE HIKE

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 18—A pair of shapely tan pumps are seven league boots for 20-year-old Eve Montaldo, who is striding from Hollywood, Cal., to New York City, alone, but the "happiest girl in America."

Miss Montaldo's impedimenta includes a make-up box and a sweater. Otherwise she trusts to her frank smile and a faith in human beings to land her asfely over the 3,000 miles of mountain, prairie and desert. She's due in August and has finished the first 500 miles without mishap, thanks to friendly autoists, in four days.

"I always believed that Americans are the most chivalrous people on earth," she said. "Now I know it. I've found that people are just folks. It takes the open air to bring it out. In the cities they are too busy to be natural."

The little hiker left Hollywood "broke" after an unsuccessful try at the "movies." She says she can't do silent parts—she just has to talk. So she entertains at hotels along the way recounting her experiences and dramatizing the events of her eventful hike.

TURKS RESIST ALLIES

Fighting as Allied Forces Seize Constantinople—Big Guns Trained on City

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 16 (By the Associated Press.)—Constantinople was occupied this morning by allied forces under Gen. Sir George F. Milne of the British army. This long-looked-for military demonstration by the allies against Turkey was carried out with only one untoward happening, a serious clash at the war office, where the Turks resisted the allied troops.

An exchange of shots resulted, in which several Punjagl, of the British East Indian forces, and a few of the Turks, were killed.

The excitement caused by the occupation quieted down before darkness, which brought absolute calm.

The landing was carried out under the guns of the formidable allied fleet anchored in the Bosphorus. The British dreadnought Benbow was moored at the Galata Quay, her guns trained upon Stamboul. Another man-of-war faced the arsenal in the Golden Horn, while all the other warships in the Bosphorus were standing by with their decks cleared for action.

The population showed little alarm, nor was there any sign of panic except in one section of Stamboul.

Prominent Turks Arrested

The forces landed included 4000 bluejackets and Marines from the British warships, and contingents from the forces of all the allies represented here. Indian detachments having Moslems on their rosters were among the troops taking part in the operation.

Comprehensive military and naval plans had been made for carrying out the allied measures. Last night a number of Turks and other persons who were regarded as possible disturbers of the peace were arrested, including the commander of the Tenth Turkish Division.

The dead walls of Constantinople have been placarded with a proclamation in Greek, English and French by Maj. Gen. Henry F. M. Wilson of the British troops, declaring that anyone committing any act that threatened the safety of the allied forces would be tried by court-martial and sentenced to death or such other penalty as the court might fix.

The French this evening are patrolling Stamboul with Senegalese troops. The British are guarding Pera, the suburb northwest of the Golden Horn, while the Italians are guarding Scutari, the portion of Constantinople on the Asiatic side of the Bosphorus.

The flutter that occurred in Stamboul as the troops marched in was on the part of the shopkeepers near the war office, where the clash occurred. They closed their shops, in their first fright, but speedily reopened them.

Allies Stop Shipping and Wire Lines

The allies are declared to believe their measures have provided amply for the maintenance of security and order in Constantinople, and consider it questionable whether even the so-called nationalist forces in Anatolia are in a position to attempt anything serious.

The allies have occupied the ministries of war and navy and assumed control of the posts, telegraphs and telephones, which have been temporarily suspended. Shipping also has been suspended.

The allied high commissioner has issued a statement declaring that the allies have no intention of destroying the authority of the Sultan, but wish to strengthen his power. It also says the allies will adhere to their intention not to deprive the Turks of Constantinople, but that they may be compelled to modify their decision if massacres and disorder continue.

Turkish resistance to the terms of the peace treaty and continuation of massacres of Armenians is the cause of the move by the allies in occupying Constantinople.

TO TRAIN AT DEVENS

PORTLAND, Me., March 16—A tentative plan was communicated yesterday by headquarters of the northeastern department to the state militia authorities whereby the Third regiment, national guard, will go to Camp Devens for its annual tour of duty, beginning June 19 and continuing 15 days.

It is planned for the regiment to return to the state in time to participate one day in the state's centennial celebration.

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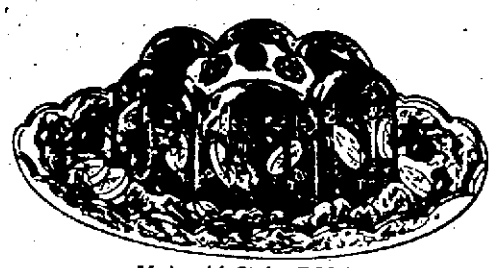

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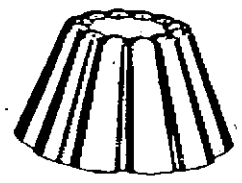
Then send us the trade-marks for molds, etc., so you can serve it attractively. Do this now.



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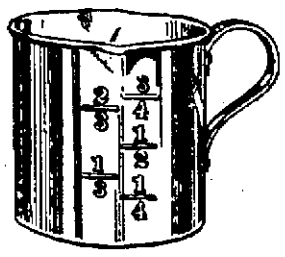

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Style—C—Pint Mold, fluted as above.
Style—D—Pint Salad Mold.
Style—E—Pint Mold with pinnacles.
Same as illustrated at top.

Pint Molds
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HOUSE IS BADLY DAMAGED BY FIRE

Considerable loss was sustained by Argonis Zariphes last night when fire destroyed the roof of his home at 853 Rogers street and gutted rooms on the second floor. The flames were not discovered until they had broken through the roof and as the house is situated on the Lowell-Tewksbury line the fire had gained rapid headway before the firemen arrived in response to Box 816 at 7.25 o'clock.

The water pressure was sufficient to send a heavy stream into the house and the fire was confined to the roof and two rooms on the second floor in the rear. Practically all of the furniture down stairs was removed to a place of safety and the six Zariphes children were taken in by neighbors.

It is believed that the fire started in a partition between the kitchen and pantry and rapidly worked its way upward. The house is completely new, having been built less than four years ago. The retail signal was not sounded until 8.38 o'clock.

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Take a cup to regulate your bowels to purify your blood and make you strong so you can withstand an attack of grippe if it happens to come along this winter. It's one great vegetable laxative and it won't cost you but a few cents to find it out. Children like it.

SUNDAY SPORTS' BILL

Lowell People Are Not Much Enthused Over the New Recreation Bill

A bill sanctioning amateur sports on Sunday in Massachusetts, which the senate yesterday passed to be engrossed, has not aroused any great flurry of excitement or anticipation in Lowell. In fact, many people interested in recreation and the promotion of all sorts of outdoor sports look on the measure with no little displeasure, saying that its provisions are so drastic as to greatly curtail the advantages which appear on the surface.

For some time Lowell has sanctioned baseball games on the city commons on Sunday between local teams and aggregations representing army and navy units. It has been the custom to take up a collection among the spectators and baseball promoters now say that the provision in the new bill which rules against this collection system and also prohibits admission charges or the payment of participants, greatly limits the benefits to be derived.

Some people, on the other hand, say that inasmuch as members of private clubs are allowed to enjoy recreational games, such as golf and tennis on Sunday, people who seek public parks for their recreation, at least ought to have the same privilege and find there an outlet for their surplus energy.

Undoubtedly, the passage of the bill will mean that there will be a general exodus of boys to the city baseball diamonds on Sunday for "scrub" and even prearranged games. The bill stipulates, of course, that such games shall not be played during any hours of church services, nor shall they in any way interfere with public worship or quiet on that day.

Under the bill it will be possible also to hold other recreational and sporting events on Sunday, provided they are restricted to purely amateur lines. If the city should build tennis courts on land near the public bath house on the boulevard, as is tentatively planned the bill in question would allow for participation in this sport. Track athletics also might be promoted, but the principal form of amusement will be baseball, as it has been in the past.

The bill undoubtedly will allow hundreds of boys to indulge in healthful exercise and in remote instance will bring pleasure to spectators, but games between semi-professional players will not occur, unless promoted along lines laid down by the restrictions of the bill. Baseball teams which perform for the amusement of the public cannot exist these days without some source of revenue and for this reason it is problematical as to the real effect of the bill, when its provisions will be taken advantage of this coming summer.

The park department of the city is endeavoring to acquire additional land in several sections of the city for baseball purposes. The present available diamonds are all too few, as is thoroughly realized. The demand for playing space is far in excess of the supply and the park board will make an attempt to rectify this need somewhat this summer.

This Frees Your Skin From Hair or Fuzz

(Toilet Tips)

The method here suggested for the removal of superfluous hair is quick and certain and unless the growth is extremely stubborn, a single application does the work. Make a stiff paste with some powdered delatone and water; apply this to the hairy surface and after about two minutes rub it off, wash the skin and the hairs are gone. To avoid disappointment, be sure your druggist sells you delatone.—Adv.

SICKNESS BEGAN WITH A BAD COLD

When the bodily resistance is low a moment's exposure to a draft, a sudden change of temperature, wet feet or wet clothing may bring on a cold. Lowered resistance means that the blood is lacking in the elements necessary to maintain health. As long as the blood is weak there is danger from colds or from the germs of any epidemic disease.

An effective way of building up the blood and thus fortifying the system is that demonstrated by Mr. Joseph Willett, of No. 68 Bangor street, Augusta, Me.

"I became badly run down following a severe cold," says Mr. Willett. "My stomach was badly affected and I suffered frequently from severe pains after eating. I had sour stomach at times and dizzy spells. I lost flesh and it seemed as though I didn't have any strength.

"Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were recommended to me and I began the treatment. In two days I felt greatly improved and continued taking the pills until I was restored to health. I'm no longer tired and do not become exhausted easily. My stomach doesn't trouble me and I eat with comfort and enjoyment without fear of after-effects. I have regained my strength and the dizzy spells have disappeared. I certainly can recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

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TOOK 378 HUN SCALPS

Record of Corp. Pegahmagabow, Canadian Indian Who Volunteered For War

OTTAWA, Ont., March 18.—Corporal Francis Pegahmagabow, one of more than 4000 Candian Indians, who volunteered for service with the Canadian Expeditionary Force, is credited with the "scalps" of 378 Germans, in a report submitted to the house of commons by Arthur Meighen, minister of the interior.

The corporal, who hails from Parry Sound, was one of a large number of Indian crack shots who were detailed as snipers. He received the military medal with two bars for his exploits.

Mr. Meighen's report cites numerous instances of gallantry on the part of the Indian contingent, which numbered more than 86 per cent of the total male Indian population of military age. One Indian, John Campbell, traveled 3000 miles by canoe, train and steamer to reach Vancouver so that he could enlist.

Spring 1920 Fashions

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The introduction to the new fashions in suits, coats, dresses, blouses, gloves, hosiery, neckwear, veilings, footwear, and all accessories of fashionable dress is now being held.

To a great many people there is nothing so important just now as to see the glorious displays of fashions for spring, and to be guided correctly to the really new and accepted styles.

To every woman and miss who desires to be correctly informed upon this point we would say: Visit our store. We here extend a cordial invitation to you to come in and inspect them at your leisure.

SUITS

The straight line suit is favored for spring, being on the whole not very different from the styles of the preceding season. The ripple coat as well as the strictly tailored model in both the short and the new finger-tip length coat are here. The coats are plain and belted, and parade novel touches in pockets, cuffs, collars and trimmings.

COATS

Separate coats promise to be as popular this season, as they have been in seasons past. The new models for immediate wear show many fitted tops and smooth shoulder with set-in sleeves. The garments are inclined to be fitted in at the waist, while they flare at the side and are adorned with shawl and convertible collars, of many unique designs.

DRESSES

The lines of the new dresses are inclined to be quite narrow and short this season. They display short sleeves and low bloused waist lines at the back, and unique arrangements of taffeta ribbon at the neck and belts. Quite a few of the new modes are flared at the sides while others are bedizened with panels, peplums and so on, of unique and fetching design and needlework.

BLOUSES

The gathering comprises the new overblouse effects which are attracting a great deal of attention as well as myriads of other stunning models of emulating beauty, which slip in at the waist line. All show the round and V necks.

CORSETS

The foundation of the smart costume is a well fitted and a becoming corset. We are ready with the corsets and brassieres that show this year's new silhouette. Many splendid makes are included in the varieties offered in our new spring assortment.

VEILING

The veil with its mystic and piquant charm will play an important part in spring dress, says Dame Fashion. The sheerest of daintiest creations are here in profusion in all the weaves and shades for instant choosing.

NECKWEAR

There's a charming and becoming neckpiece here for you. Many exceedingly dainty and effective styles have been originated, and all are on display here. This is the sort of neckwear that lends distinction to the costume with which it is worn.

Spring Showing

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Children's Wear

This is our first full showing of children's apparel for Spring; and it will be well worth the while of every mother to come and make herself familiar with it. It will make her acquainted with all that is new and stylish in juvenile raiment and present her with many valuable suggestions about the selection of becoming garments for school and dressy wear.

Girls' White Dresses sizes 2 to 6 years, **$2.98 to $6.98**
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Spring Hats ..... **98¢ to $5.00**

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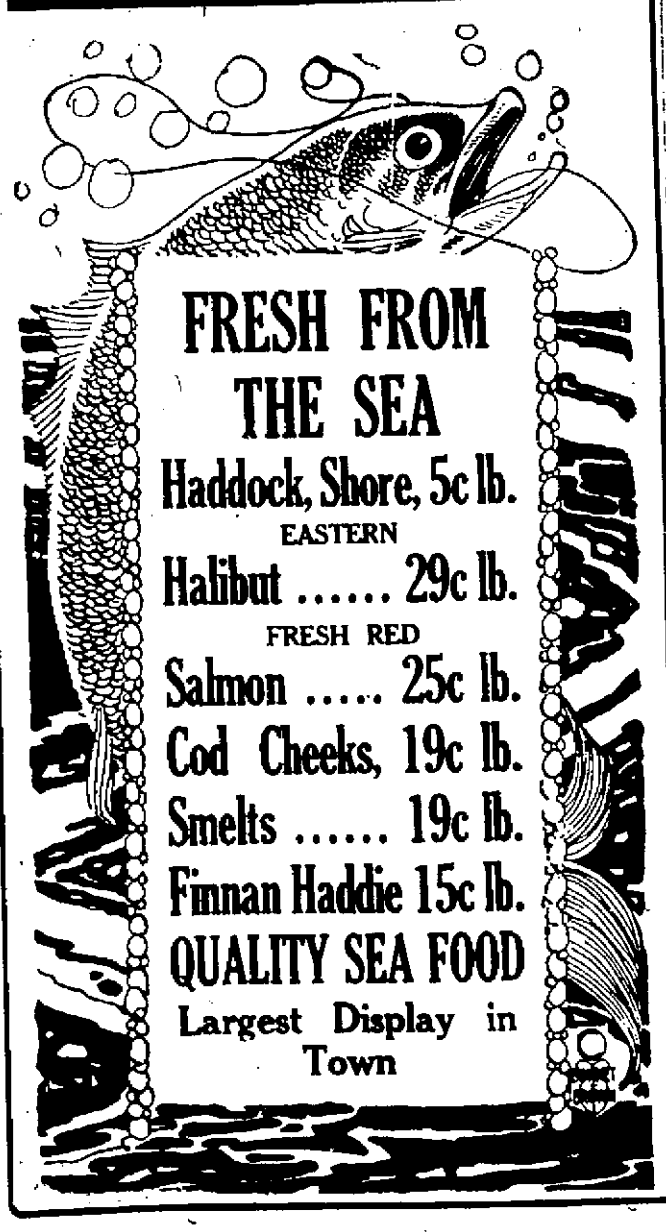

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Shortly after 3 o'clock last evening an alarm from box 227 summoned a portion of the department to 187 Charles street for an ash barrel fire in the yard of Adolph Garricka. No damage.

This week's payroll for municipal departments totals $33,184.51. Increases for firemen and water department employes, as recently granted by Commissioner John F. Salmon, are included.

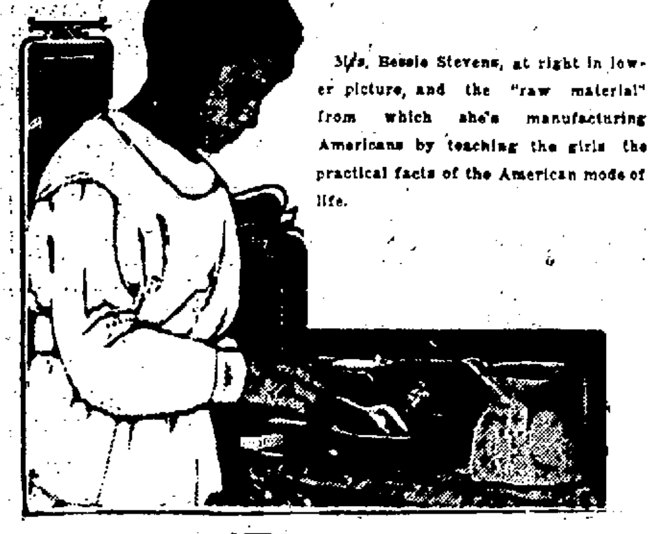
Supt. Hugh J. Molloy has called a general meeting of the teachers of the public schools for next Monday afternoon, March 22, at 4.15, in high school hall. All teachers are urged to attend. The meeting will not extend beyond five o'clock.

Miss Etheldred A. Willmott, of 223 Mammoth road, Lowell, is a speaker on Mount Holyoke's affirmative team for the intercollegiate debate. This team will debate against Barnard at Mount Holyoke on Saturday evening, March 20, on the subject: Resolved, That the recognition of trade unions by employers is essential to successful collective bargaining."

The Misses Bridget and Anna Healey, who have been in Chicago, Ill., for the past six weeks attending the funerals of their nieces, Mrs. Catherine Minahan and Mrs. Margaret Dipmore, have returned. Mrs. Minahan and Mrs. Dipmore are the sisters of the well known physician, Dr. M. A. Tighe. Mrs. Dipmore was formerly Miss Margaret Tighe and lived in Lowell with her grandmother.

New Bolivian Cabinet Formed

LA PAZ, Bolivia, March 15.—A new cabinet has been formed by President Jose Gutierrez Guerra, the portfolio of foreign relations being retained by Carlos Gutierrez.



Mrs. Bessie Stevens, at right in lower picture, and the "raw material" from which she's manufacturing Americans by teaching the girls the practical facts of the American mode of life.

THE STRAIGHT ROAD TO AMERICANISM

OAKLAND, Cal., March 18.—While congress, the courts, police, writers and preachers are trying to get together on a definition of just what constitutes Americanism, two women here are going ahead and making remarkable progress in manufacturing it from raw foreign material.

They are Mrs. Bessie Stevens and Miss Emma Kane, directors of the federal vocational cottage, a demonstration home for domestic occupations devoted largely to immigrants from southern Europe and their children.

And they say that Americanism grows out of cooking, sewing, sweeping and sanitation—homely, down-to-the-ground things—rather than from patriotic abstractions that have no handle to take hold of.

A common language, common customs and a similarity of things in the kitchens and living rooms of its people are essential for that neighborliness which is the foundation stone of national strength.

That's the key to which the Federal Vocational school here is set. The work of transforming aliens in mind and tongue into good Americans is carried on with infinite patience, through various practical demonstrations, and without snobbery by these women pioneers in a serious national task.

Miss Kane, principal of the Lazaer school, started the pioneer work of Americanization six years ago. In 1919 Oakland provided the four room cottage school in which this work is now carried on. The school is supported by federal, state and local funds.

One of the first steps taken by Miss Kane and her assistant was the instilling in their pupils of the primary importance of sanitary conditions. Mothers and children were convinced that homes should have plenty of fresh air and nutritious food. This was accomplished only after a long fight against the native superstitions of the aliens.

Not only in the school room, but through visiting teachers is the work of Americanization being carried on. Mothers are visited in their homes and given instruction in the English language, and in the general upkeep of their home. Everything possible is being done to enlarge the horizon of these parents, most of whom spent their day time in the cotton mills and their evenings in house work. They are being taught the value of systematic cleanliness and their entire plane of living is gradually being raised.

FOR FLAT TAX ON PROFITS

Houston Urges Congress To Simplify Tax Law—Would Begin Reduction in 1922

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Income and excess profits taxes cannot be reduced until after 1922, Sec. Houston yesterday wrote the house ways and means committee, urging an immediate simplification of these taxes and substitution of a flat tax on excess profits instead of the graduated rates of 20 and 40 per cent.

Only very moderate reductions may be made in the calendar year of 1922, collected in 1923, the secretary wrote. Under the plan of a flat tax, the letter stated, "it would be possible to adopt a declining rate, say of 25 per cent. for the first year in which the change is in operation, 20 per cent. for the second year and 15 per cent. therafter."

Unless action is taken at the present session of congress, Mr. Houston said, existing taxes "must continue to be collected on the basis of the present law until the close of the calendar year 1922." Such a condition, he wrote, "is contemplated with the gravest apprehension."

Losses on Stock Dividends

Immediate losses to the government under the supreme court's decision that stock dividends are not taxable will approximate $105,000,000, the letter stated. Sec. Houston added, however, that the ultimate loss would be only $35,000,000, as much of the original loss would be regained through the sale of stocks and subsequent taxes on them. The secretary estimated that $35,000,000 collected in 1918 would have to be refunded, and $70,000,000 would be lost on 1919 taxes.

Aggregate losses for 1918 and 1919 under exemption to personal service corporations will approximate $12,000,000, involving 2500 corporations, the secretary wrote, adding that the need for immediate legislation to meet the situation arose "not so much from the possible loss of revenue as from the obvious undesirability of permitting 3500 corporations and their stockholders to escape the taxes upon the corporations and those imposed upon individuals."

Says It Would Mean Reduction

Chairman Fordney of the house ways and means committee, commenting on Sec. Houston's suggestion for a flat tax to supplant the present graduated system, said the repeal of the $3,000,000 exemption granted under present income laws and the creation of a flat tax on all profits and incomes would result in lowering the average tax from 22 per cent. to approximately 17 per cent.

"Present taxes are based on the disposition of profits," he said, "while under the proposed flat tax there would be a straight assessment regardless of the disposition of the taxable amounts."

Representative Kitchin, democrat, North Carolina, however, said the proposed change in the income and excess profits taxes would "switch the burdens from the war and peace profiteers to the little fellows, least capable of bearing the burden." Present tax laws have the approval of President Wilson, ex-Sec. McAdoo and congress, he stated, adding "they are working satisfactorily."

Invitation to Extravagance

"A tax system yielding, or likely to yield in the future a surplus of revenue over expenditures," Mr. Houston wrote, "is an open invitation to public extravagance, whereas an announced resolution to reduce taxes as the occasion which called them forth recedes into the past, is one of the most potent means of insuring economy in public expenditures. The people, therefore, consumers as well as producers, indirect as well as direct tax payers may fairly ask to be told now, the earliest future date at which the most absolute features of the tax law are to be repealed."

For the simplification of the taxes, with a resultant "modest reduction" the secretary first recommended enactment of an amendment authorizing the internal reenue bureau to make a final determination and settlement of any tax claim of assessment which shall not thereafter be reopened or modified by the government except on a showing of fraud. The particular importance of this change, the secretary said, was that if the present levies continue and all back taxes along with the current taxes are contained in the same year "the result may be highly disastrous to business" in case of industrial depression.

Other Recommendations

Other recommendations included: Extension to all income and profit tax laws of the five-year limitation contained only in the 1918 law, on the time for bringing suits for collection of taxes.

Consolidation of the varying exemptions on the Liberty bond issues so as to strengthen the market standing of those securities.

Extraordinary income as compensation from personal service and gains from sales or dealings in property for a period of years deemed to have accrued ratably during the years in which the service was rendered or the property held and the amount of extraordinary income so assigned to any one year be subjected to the sur tax rates prescribed by law for that year.

The secretary said the application and calculation of the excess profits tax was so complex that "new returns are being made faster than the old returns can be audited, resulting in an accumulation of claims and potential back taxes." He suggested a plan of simplification "designed first to eliminate from the war profits and excess profits tax law (except as it applied to war contracts) all reference to or use of invested capital, and second, to place the taxation of incorporated concerns as far as may be, on substantially the same basis.

How It Can Be Accomplished

"The first object," he said, "is accomplished by substituting for the present graduated rates of 20 and 40 per cent. a flat tax on profits in excess of the distributed earnings. The second object could be accomplished by making it explicit in the law that corporations have the right to pay dividends on bonds or promises to pay bearing a fair rate of interest which are taxable to the stockholders as ordinary dividends, or by authorizing corporations to receive back from their stockholders as 'paid in surplus' cash or other dividends recently distributed.

"Under these or analogous procedures a corporation could retain its profits for use in the business and convert the profits tax into a genuine income tax. The excess profits tax would thus become a flat tax on undistributed earnings, 'invested capital' would practically disappear; and the corporation, if it desired, could place itself on substantially the same basis as the partnership, the personal service corporation and the sole proprietor."

Mr. Houston estimated that the suggested amendment would reduce the tax revenue by approximately $430,000,000 a year.

"Present corporate conditions," he continued, "can hardly be maintained, and if corporate income declines and invested capital increases as rapidly as they have done in the past 12 months, the proposed amendment would probably cause no reduction in the future revenue."

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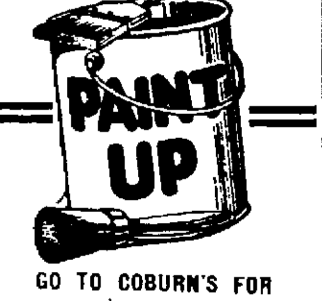

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Sporting News and Newsy Sports

DOWNES AND RECTOR IN TONIGHT'S MAIN BOUT

Members of the Crescent A.A. look for considerable action at tonight's meeting, when four high class numbers are scheduled to be run off.

In the main event of 12 rounds, Johnny Downes of South Boston and Young Rector of Jersey City will be the principals. In the semi-final number Young Avila of Lowell will meet Mickey Devine of Providence. Kid Cooker and Young Paneo, local rivals, are to perform in one preliminary and Buddy Lane of Lowell and Billy Smith of Lawrence will swap punches in the other six-round event.

Downes is well and favorably known here where he has always given satisfaction. He engaged in two thrilling mills here with Frankie Brown, and his work in both encounters stamped him as a top-notch performer. He is aggressive, a hard hitter, and is ever ready to stand in there and trade wallops. Rector has been at the game for some time, and during his career met many of the leading lightweights of the country.

Avila has been coming along at a lively clip of late, and if successful against Devine tonight he has been promised several good matches in Rhode Island. The preliminary boys need no "introduction" to the members. All have performed here at previous meetings, and their work was always satisfactory.

Young Rector and his manager, Fred De Lorme, arrived in Lowell this morning. Mr. De Lorme announced that his boy was in fine fettle for tonight's bout.

JIMMY MAHAN IN "COME BACK" STUNT

Jimmy Mahan, of Lowell, who staged a successful "come back" against Johnny Boyle here a few weeks ago, by holding the hard hitting Boyle to a draw in eight rounds, boxed Sailor Kay, of the U.S.S. Virginia, at Camp Devens last night, and while losing the decision he put up a fine battle. Kay outweighted the Lowell boxer, but despite this fact Mahan stayed in there the entire distance and swapped with him and did much of the forcing. Mahan injured his arm in the first round, but he stuck gamely to the end, and was given a big hand when he left the ring.

Sergt. Swanson and Johnny Carson of Lawrence boxed an eight round draw. Leo Gregory of Medford won the decision over Babe Christo of Lowell in six rounds. Several other high class bouts were put on. Benny Osthues refereed all bouts.

POLO AVERAGES

Kid Williams Leading Scorer Last Week

While Kid Williams was the leading goal getter last week, making 17 bullseyes, Bob Hart maintains the top position for the season with a total of 268. Kid William's season's total is 256. Duggan made a big gain on Taylor in spot pushing and is but 3 behind the Worcester man. Hurley continues out in front in fouls and Pence of Lowell is still leading the goal fends.

The averages:

GOALS MADE BY

B. Hart	268	Dufresne	38
K. Williams	256	Donnelly	34
Taylor	234	Welch	22
Duggan	219	Muirhead	21
G. Hart	216	Lyons	16
R. Williams	204	Wiley	12
Thompson	198	Morrison	11
Higgins	195	Cusick	9
Pierce	173	Doherty	9
Davies	168	Cameron	8
Alexander	162	W. Lovegreen	5
Harkins	145	Brown	1
Mulligan	116	Foley	7
Hardy	76	Sinter	5
Jean	65	Finnell	3
Griffith	57	Gardner	3

RUSHES TAKEN BY

Taylor	714	Mulligan	163
Duggan	711	G. Hart	26
Alexander	635	Wiley	22
R. Williams	575	W. Lovegreen	7
Pierce	384	Higgins	3
B. Hart	355	Thompson	3
Davies	327	Harkins	3
K. Williams	173		

FOULS MADE BY

Hardy	76	Duggan	11
Donnelly	61	Finnell	11
Jean	51	G. Hart	9
Doherty	49	Taylor	9
Cusick	36	Alexander	8
Dufresne	32	Thompson	7
Foley	31	Mulligan	6
B. Hart	26	Higgins	6
Cameron	25	R. Williams	6
Lyons	25	Pierce	6
Brown	24	Harkins	4
Gardner	22	Blount	3
Morrison	21	Pence	2
Griffith	18	Davies	1
Muirhead	14		

GOALTENDS' AVERAGES

	Stopped	Missed	P. C.
Pence	4691	358	92.9
Blount	4928	412	92.3
Conley	4636	393	92.3
Purcell	4812	472	91.1
Lovegreen	4915	519	90.4
Hueffner	2575	286	90.0
Jette	2292	272	89.4

POLO NOTES

The "Diggers" of Worcester will play Lowell at the Crescent rink tomorrow night.

Worcester and Lowell always put up a well contested game. With Conley in goal, the Worcester team is now regarded one of the strongest in the league, and while down with Lowell in the standing, the players still feel confident that they will land in the money.

The Crescent amateurs, with a new man in the lineup, will play a fast team before the big game tomorrow night.

Several fans from Lawrence attended the Fall River-Lowell game the other night. They greatly enjoyed Blount's high class goal tending.

"Bob" Hart will not be able to finish the polo season, having been ordered to report to the National baseball league headquarters in two weeks. With Duggan now a member of the Whalers, the team will probably "recall" Young Welsh, when Hart goes.

U. S. TO BUST UP CINCY—HELP!

Staff Special

WASHINGTON, March 18.—"The department of justice is going to break up the Cincinnati ball team."

This was the startling news an excited visitor brought to the office of the Washington Baseball club the other day.

"What's that?" demanded Clark Griffith. "Say that again!"

"Just what I said. Uncle Sam's going to bust up the Cincinnati team. Mitchell Palmer's orders."

"Gee! That's fierce. What's Palmer got against Cincinnati?"

"He thinks the whole team's Bolshevik. They're Reds, you know, and Palmer says every Red must be deported."

OverAll Cigars
3 FOR 35c

LOWELL BEATS SALEM IN EXCITING GAME

The Salem "Witches," who always give Lowell a stiff battle, and who play fast polo whether in victory or defeat, went down to defeat at the hands of Lowell in a well played game at the Crescent rink last night by the score of 8 to 6.

While more closely contested games have been seen here, few as exciting or as interesting, as that of last night, have been played here. It was a seesaw battle with goals coming frequently, and the winner in doubt much of the time.

The Salem club, with the flashy Williams and the ever industrious Hardy, is always dangerous. If Williams is giving much freedom, he is liable to fill the cage, while when Hardy starts driving, his shots usually go to the mark. The team has a plan of shifting, during the progress of play. If the opposition is holding Williams in check, Hardy will go up on the rush, and the "Kid" drops back. The visitors employed all maneuvers, and fought hard every minute, but Lowell by superior combination endeavor finally triumphed.

There was much skating, juggling, and hard driving, with a sprinkling of the strenuous, to add zest to the contest. Hardy was in old time form, and he added two fouls to his total for the season. Referee Knowlton was on the job, and few violations of the rules escaped his eagle eye. Williams played hard and he gave Griffith a merry time in keeping him in check.

Griffith, however, seldom played a better game. He did not trail Williams, as much as in previous games, but he did much work on the offensive. Many times he came up the floor for a drive, and he negotiated two fine goals. Davies and Harkins worked to desire in front, while Doherty and Pence took good care of the defensive operations.

The game went on at a speedy clip for more than six minutes before the first goal. Griffiths broke the ice, by sending one in 6.36. Williams tied the count a minute later, Davies then got one, after which Alexander again knotted the score. Davies and Harkins each counted, after which the period ended.

As the second opened Harkins negotiated a brace, and Williams followed with two. Harkins then poked one in, and with only a few minutes to go Alexander made it 5 to 7, by getting one by Pence's pads.

In the final stanza Griffiths hammered one through and Williams made his fourth of the night. There was no further scoring. The lineup and score:

LOWELL		SALEM
Davies 1r		1r Alexander
Harkins 2r		2r Williams
Griffith c		c Hardy
Dorothy b		b Morrison
Pence g		g Lovegreen
Won by	Caged by	Time

FIRST PERIOD

Lowell	Griffith	6.36
Salem	Williams	1.37
Lowell	Davies	2.25
Salem	Alexander	.35
Lowell	Davies	1.24
Lowell	Harkins	1.51

SECOND PERIOD

Lowell	Harkins	1.22
Lowell	Harkins	.21
Salem	Williams	1.04
Salem	Williams	2.51
Lowell	Harkins	7.01
Salem	Alexander	1.35

THIRD PERIOD

Lowell	Griffith	1.48
Salem	Williams	10.03

Summary: Score, Lowell 8, Salem 6. Rushes, Davies 8, Alexander 9. Steps, Pence 36, Lovegreen 40. Fouls, Hardy 2. Referee, Knowlton.

WORCESTER WINS

WORCESTER, March 18.—The locals won over New Bedford here last night, 5 to 1. The Whalers had two in and out drives. Conley in goal was the star performer of the contest and his work was a contributing factor in the victory. The score:

WORCESTER	NEW BEDFORD
Taylor 1r	1r Duggan
Higgins 3r	2r Hart
Muirhead c	c Dufresne
Donnelly b	b Gardner
Conley g	g Jette

Summary: Score, Worcester 5, New Bedford 3. Rushes: Taylor 9, Duggan 3. Goals, Hart 1, Gardner 1, Duggan 1, Dufresne 1, Higgins 3, Taylor 1, Muirhead 1. Stops, Conley 69, Jette 44. Fouls, Taylor, Duggan, Dufresne and Gardner. Referee, Burkett. Timer, Dowd.

GOLD BUGS BEATEN

FALL RIVER, March 18.—The league leaders went down to defeat here last night when the Tigers won, 6 to 3. G. Hart had a flashy rally in the final period and his production was three goals, the winning margin of the game. The work of Hart came at a time when the count stood three all, and the second rush of the Tigers brought the big house of 2000 fans to its feet as he reeled off his trio of curtain drives. It was a fast game all the way. Both goal men had a hard but successful night. The score:

PROVIDENCE	FALL RIVER
R. Williams 1r	1r Pierce
Thompson 2r	2r G. Hart
Evans c	c Jean
Lyons b	b Cusick
Hueffner g	g Blount

Summary: Score, Fall River 6, Providence 3. Rushes: Pierce 5, Williams 4. Goals, Hart 4, Pierce 1, foul in goal by New Bedford, Thompson 3. Stops, Blount 72, Hueffner 68. Referee, Carroll. Timer, Walsh.

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Providence	55	46	54.5
Fall River	56	49	53.3
Salem	55	51	51.9
Lowell	51	50	50.5
Worcester	51	50	50.5
New Bedford	47	58	45.6

WHERE THEY PLAY TONIGHT

Worcester at Salem.
Fall River at Providence.

CRESCENT A. A.
Johnny Downes
vs. Young Rector
Young Avila
vs. Mikey Devine
AND TWO OTHER BOUTS
TONIGHT

POLO
Worcester vs. Lowell
Crescents vs. Spindle City
CRESCENT RINK
FRIDAY NIGHT

SUNDAY SPORTS BILL PASSED BY SENATE

BOSTON, March 18.—The state senate yesterday, by a standing vote of 21 to 6, passed to be engrossed, the bill to permit Sunday sports between 2 and 6 p. m. in cities and towns which decide to accept this Sunday law amendment.

On motion of Senator Hardy of Huntington an emergency preamble amendment was voted. The preamble cannot be attached, however, until the enactment stage and then only by a two-thirds vote of each branch.

The preamble is offered in anticipation of an effort of opponents of the legislation to suspend its operation, for the present year at least, by the filing of a referendum petition for a vote of the people at the next state election. The bill at present permits authorities to designate where sports may take place and does not require participants to obtain permits each week.

By a voice vote the senate ordered to a third reading a bill to allow the city of Boston to borrow outside the debt limit to the extent of $5,000,000 to improve the North End district of the city.

Without debate or discussion the senate acepted the adverse report of the committee on metropolitan affairs on the bill for an investigation as to the responsibility of the strike of the Boston Policemen's union.

By a vote of 19 to 17 the senate refused to amend the fireman's two-platoon law to allow chiefs to call out all men in times of "grave emergency." The law allows the men to be called out only during "conflagrations."

The senate, by a rollcall vote of 22 to 13, reconsidered its vote of Tuesday whereby it rejected the bill to permit the city of Boston to appoint women as police officers. The bill was then ordered to a third reading without opposition.

The committee on rules of the two branches, sitting jointly, reported "ought not to be adopted" on the order for an opinion of the supreme court on the authority of the state legislature to make laws for the manufacture and sale of light wines and beers. The dissenters are Senators McKnight, Prescott and Gibbs and Representatives Young, Austin and Haynes.

WINNERS IN CITY LEAGUE BOWLING

The K. of C. bowlers and the Middlesex five were the winners in the City league clashes on the local alleys last evening. The rolling of Bernadini and O. Brun featured. Scores, together with other games rolled this week not appearing in these columns, follow:

K. of C.—Sullivan 318, Sweeney 314, Bernadini 335, McQuald 323, Devlin 351; totals 1641.

B. & M.—Mariel 303, Kloby 311, O'Day 277, Robinson 322, Schonbom 320; totals 1533.

White Ways—Kelley 292, Seigal 286, Curry 270, Brigham 308, Griffin 286; totals 1443.

Middlesex—Kane 262, Burns 294, Moulton 303, Perrin 311, O. Brun 333; totals 1503.

Lawrence A.A.

Married Men—Broderlow 287, Callahan 291, Hickey 257, Lorgan 272, Davis, Sr., 262; totals 1389.

Single Men—O'Brien 237, Lowney 240, Davis, Jr., 267, St. John 237, A. Lowney 270; totals 1251.

Y.M.C.A. Dormitory League

Pickles—Andromedas 268, Atwood 258, Garnett 237, Neff 270, MacCregor 261; totals 1294.

Braves—Nichols 237, Jordan 217, Pooser 197, Shaber 192, Livingston 231; totals 1077.

Tigers—Southern 233, Diamon 253, Putnam 349, McIntyre 267, Douglas 230; totals 1241.

Ramblers—Childs 262, Wilson 252, Keough 241, McMaster 254, Johnson 245; totals 1254.

Kittredge's League

Fairviews—Jones 286, Goff 255, O'Neil 316, Maloney 271, Killoy 304; total 1431.

Wolves—Kelly 301, Louchran 260, Nugent 327, E. Ouimette 256, Grady 270; total, 1414.

Red Wings—Prescott 308, Donahue 271, Lynch 233, Curtin 312, Hayden 327; total, 1524.

Olympics—Taylor 283, Lyness 321, S. Silcox 263, Sheppard 276, B. Silcox 293; total 1436.

M. T. S.—Bowers 214, McGovern 251, Eastham 295, Powers 259, Finnegan 274; total, 1393.

Milkmen—Brown 276, Dooley 313, Dean 280, Bailey 270, Peabody 294; total, 1433.

Boulgers—Whitelock 342, Desrosier 370, King 291, Panton 293, Thurber 266; total, 1462.

Other Games

Silk Girls—Catterall 212, Breen 196, Kelley 240, Boyle 233, Sargent 261; total, 1142.

Hall Room Girls—Lord 206, Dowd 215, Gallagher 203, Conlon 233, Hall 239; total, 1126.

WILL BOX WILDE

Frankie Daly Anxious To Hook Up With Englishman

Jimmy Wilde, British flyweight champion, expects to stay in America two months more. He has become acclimated and is fighting at his best. His next opponent may be Frankie Daly, the sensational Staten Island waterman, who scales 116 pounds ringside. The English champ has beaten four mediocre bantams such as Babe Asher, Mickey Russell, Patsy Wallace and Frankie Mason, but he was trounced by Jack Sharkey in his first bout in America.

Promoters want the little Englishman to exhibit his best tricks against a formidable opponent. It is a fact that he was not extended by Asher, Russell, Wallace or Mason. George M. Lawrence, who managed Harry Wills and Sam McVey when he came here from Australia several years ago, has Daly in charge.

Daly's record in the ring and Uncle Sam's arena speaks volumes for his prowess. Sharkey, who outslugged Wilde in Milwaukee several weeks ago, was flattened by Daly in a Brooklyn ring just before the Frawley law passed out in New York state. Daly applied the sleep potion to the gritty Italian in four rounds. When Uncle Sam issued a call for volunteers to help beat the Hun, Daly did not try to duck under his arm but rushes off to enlist.

After the armistice was signed Daly went to Australia, where he made a big hit by beating four good boys. The best of the quartet he took into camp was Jermito, a Filipino featherweight, in 20 rounds. Jermito challenged Johnny Kilbane but when Daly got through with him, he said he had enough of American fisticuffs.

Daly came back from abroad two weeks ago. As soon as he landed Lawrence showed him several offers contained in telegrams from various sections of the country.

Before he meets Wilde, the Staten Islander will box Joe Lynch ten rounds in Detroit March 31.

Daly is 23 years old and carries a knockout in either hand.

SPRING POME

SCALDED TO DEATH

Nurse Held in Connection With Death of Patient

DEDHAM, March 18.—Miss Margaretta E. Coumans, a nurse employed at the Wiswall sanatorium at Wellesley, was held for the grand jury on a charge of manslaughter after a hearing in the district court yesterday, in connection with the death of Mrs. Mary C. Lotz, a patient, last November. The report of the medical examiner showed that Mrs. Lotz was scalded to death while being given a bath. It is charged that Miss Coumans was responsible for failure to turn off the hot water.

CURRENT NEWS IN VERSE AND VIEWS

The Browns from old St. Louis, writers say,
On Sunday in a special suit will play.
Why not wear frocks, as preachers do today?
And yet from churches that might pull away.

Of gentle spring full many signs are here;
Kids, skipping ropes, and marbles now appear.
The hurdy-gurdy's tune will soon be near,
But gone the rampant goat that meant beer.

Josephus tells us, if the league wo'd shun
To build the biggest navy 'neath the sun;
All right, Josephus, but when that is done,
John Bull will straightway build a bigger one.

While every home throughout the country has
Some instrument which turns out well-known jazz,
'Twill soon be time for circus p'raders bazz;
We wonder, will they give the jazz the "raz."

John Barleycorn is dead; that Chopin strain
For him has sounded: 'neath the sod he's lain.
But though his body moulders and in twain,
Rhode Island yet may dig him up again.

Just as our bungalow is under way
And higher rent we will not have to pay,
The carpenters just up and walk away.
They want more money—such is life today.

NEW FIELD OF SPORT IS OPENING UP FROM INDUSTRIAL ATHLETICS

Combining play with work and the encouragement of athletics among workingmen of large industrial concerns are the prime ideals of the American Industrial Athletic association.

It is developing a field of sport heretofore untouched.

The rapid progress of the organization is due in large measure to W. J. Cahill, president of the association. He played baseball on the sandlots of Boston and was a leader in all branches of sports from marbles to football in his neighborhood as a boy. He now lives in Akron, Ohio, where he is interested in the manufacturing business.

Under his guidance the Industrial's membership has increased 300 per cent. Cahill handled the A.I.A.A.'s first track meet at Gary, Ind., on July 4, 1919, and put it over big.

Just now members of the association are looking forward to the big sport carnival, scheduled for Akron, O., on March 11 to 13. The meet will consist of bowling, basketball and indoor track events. It provides the only bona fide industrial championships in the country—a tournament for workingmen only.

Manufacturing concerns will turn over three of their large clubhouses to the visitors.

Walter Camp, football expert; Billy Evans, major league umpire, and Martin Dolaney, physical director of the Chicago Athletic club, will be chief speakers at the convention.

The movement to establish organized sports for workingmen is one of the most sweeping strokes for better athletics ever inaugurated.

The association is in its infancy.

With such ideals back of it further growth is an assured fact, and a solider foundation for all athletics is certain to result.

Cured His Rupture

I was badly ruptured while lifting a trunk several years ago. Doctors said my only hope of cure was an operation. Trusses did me no good. Finally I got hold of something that quickly and completely cured me. Years have passed and the rupture has never returned, although I am doing hard work as a carpenter. There was no operation, no lost time, no trouble. I have nothing to sell, but will give full information about how you may find a complete cure without operation. If you write to me, Eugene M. Pullen, carpenter, 1258 Marcellus avenue, Manasquan, N. J. Better cut out this notice and show it to any others who are ruptured—you may save a life or at least stop the misery of rupture and the worry and danger of an operation.—Adv.

COMETS OF HUMOR

BY O. B. JOYFUL

There are comets of humor, as there are comets of the sky. Both have their orbits, well defined. Comets come back, in ago after age; and so do jokes. The jokes we read when we were young—well, let us consider this one:

"The cup that cheers must be a noisy piece of crockery."

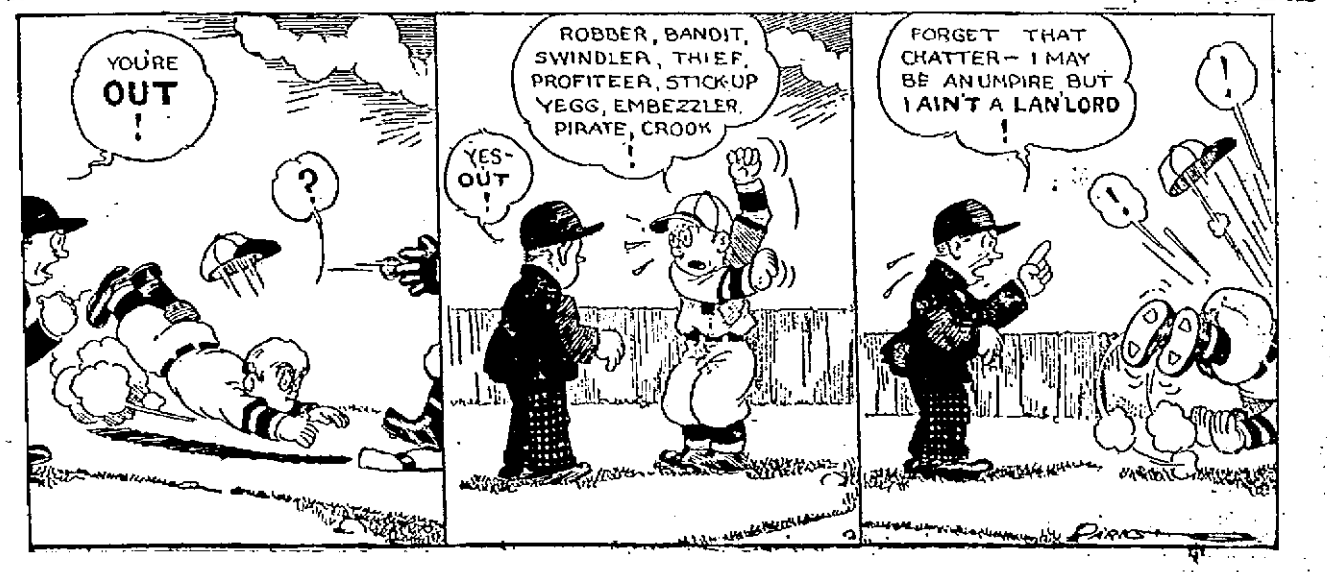
It was 25 years ago that that first attracted my attention, in an old newspaper long ago discontinued. It is just the other day that it grinned up frightfully at me from the bottom of a column in another newspaper.

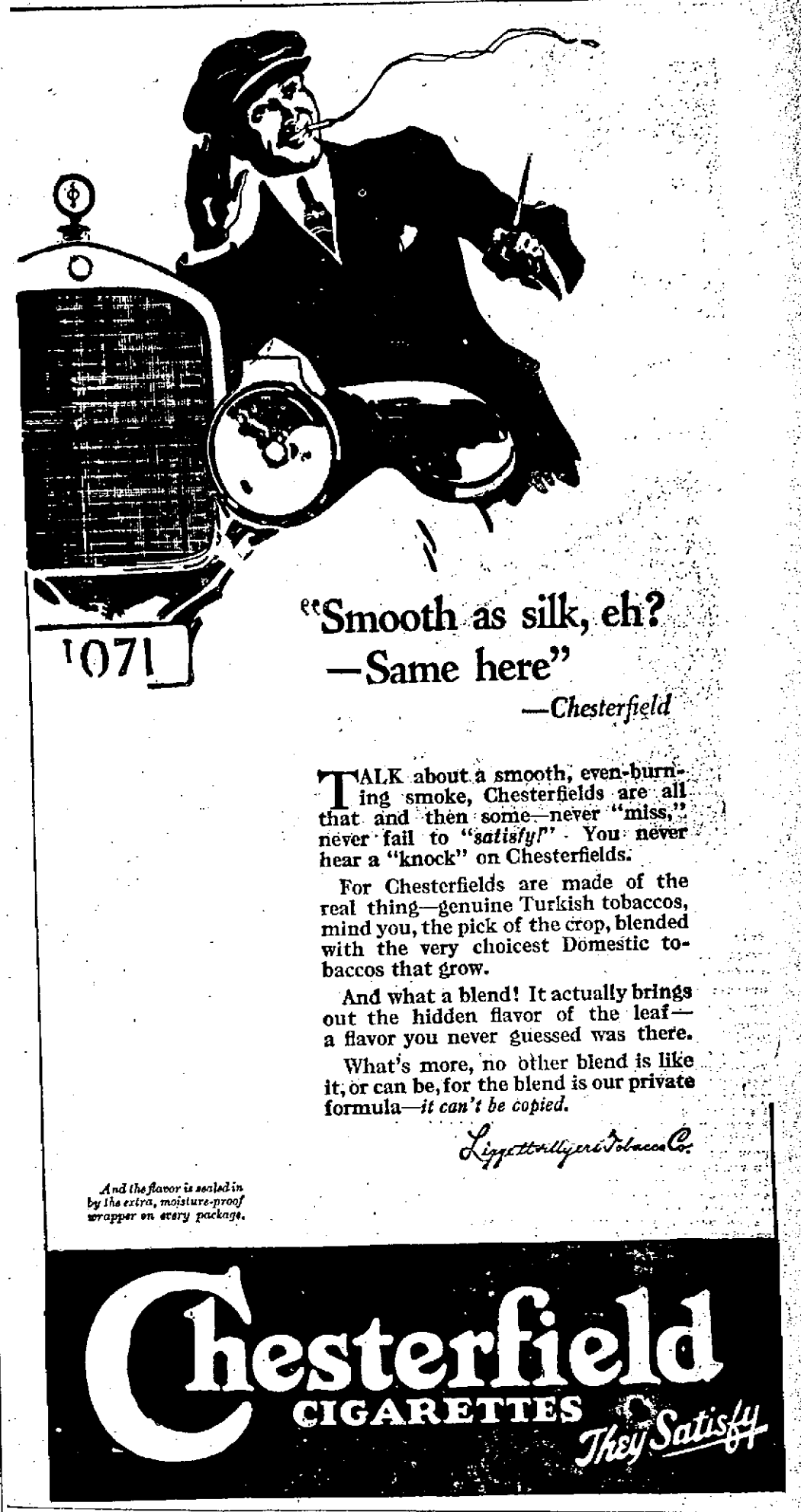
A comet of humor, to be sure, with a periodicty of a quarter-century.

EXAM FOR POSTMASTER

A civil service examination to fill the position of postmaster in North Chelmsford was held at the local postoffice yesterday and those who took it were Acting Postmaster James P. Dunigan, John Dunigan, John Valentine, Edward Tucke, Aine R. Olsen and Edmond Boucher.

O. U. BUSHER — The Ump's Not That Bad — BY PARKS





SIMS CONCLUDES HIS TESTIMONY

Presents 13 Specific Counts in His Indictment Charging Mistakes and Costly Delays

Bitter Arraignment of the Navy Department's Conduct of the War

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Concluding his long arraignment of the navy department's conduct of the war, Rear Admiral Sims laid before the senate investigating committee today 12 specific counts in his indictment charging mistakes and costly delays.

Summary of Charges

The admiral's summary of his charges follow:

"That in spite of the fact that war had been going on for nearly three years, and our entry into it had been imminent at least from February 2, 1917, the vessels of the navy were not ready for war service when the United States entered.

That the first few months after America entered the war, were extremely critical ones for the whole allied cause, due to the success of enemy submarines.

"That this critical situation was made clear to the navy department a few days after America entered the war, and repeatedly thereafter by cables and letters, supported by independent advices to the government from the American ambassador in London and by Mr. Hoover.

"That the navy department supplied me with no plans or policy covering our participation in the war for three months after our entry thereto.

"That having information as to the critical situation of the allies, the navy department did not promptly assist them, and thereby prolonged the war by delaying the sending of anti-submarine vessels, none reaching Europe for nearly a month after war was declared, and two and a half months elapsing before 30 vessels arrived.

"That the navy department failed to appreciate the military value of time.

"That the navy department violated fundamental military principles in attempting to formulate war plans of operation without having sufficient knowledge of the whole situation.

"That the department's representative with the allied admiralties was not supported during the most critical months of the war, either by adequate personnel or by adequate forces that could have been supplied.

"That the navy department violated fundamental military principles in dispensing forces away from the critical area in order to meet diversions of the enemy.

"That the navy department, in the first months of the war, attempted the direction of details although 3000 miles distant from the scenes of active operations where the situation was changing from day to day.

"That the navy department, in not clearly defining the responsibility and delegating authority to its representative in Europe, failed to follow sound principles, common alike to the business and military professions.

"That the navy department by controlling the operations and movements of certain forces within the war area, violated the fundamental military principle of unity of command.

"That the navy department failed to keep its representative abroad completely informed as to its plans affecting dispatch and disposition of forces in the war zone and frequently reached decisions in such matters through information gained from sources other than its representative in the war zone."

200 Pages of Testimony

Admiral Sims said he was not insensible to the "splendid work done by the navy at large or the various bureaus and other offices of the navy department."

His statements were directed "almost entirely" to pointing out defects in the administration of the navy department during the first few months of the war, he said.

The thought would occur to many persons, Admiral Sims said, that "hindsight" is better than foresight and that it is always easy, in the light of hindsight, to point out errors committed in any undertaking. But the issue under investigation was too important, he added, to be affected by such theories.

"Hindsight must not be blindsight," he declared.

Admiral Sims' direct testimony filled nearly 200 large printed pages and it took him nearly 16 hours to read it. His cross-examination by members of the committee probably will be started Friday, after which members of his staff will be heard before Secretary Daniels and officials of the navy department are called.

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BOY KICKED TO DEATH BY SCHOOL MATES

PUEBLO, Colo., March 18.—Ted, the 11-year-old son of Mrs. H. Kuykendall, in a statement yesterday shortly before his death charged he had been kicked and injured by five school boys. Physicians say the lad died of these injuries.

Behind the death of the lad is a school-boy feud. Ted's mother is poor. His clothes earned for him the name of "Poverty" among schoolmates. Despite handicaps, the boy led his classes. This is believed to have created jealousy.

Ted says he "whipped" two boys of his own age Thursday when they jeered at his clothes. Friday five older boys attacked him and kicked him into unconsciousness. Neighbors found him behind a billboard.

An investigation will be started today by a coroner's jury. Names of the boys were revealed in the statement made to Mrs. Mattie Hart, the victim's nurse, and Rev. F. W. Beach, a local pastor, but are being withheld until after the inquest.

ASSESSORS SEND ANNUAL NOTICE

The local board of assessors is sending out its annual notice to persons, firms and corporations subject to taxation in this city, to bring to the assessors on or before May 15 true lists of property owned by them so that it may be assessed.

The notice applies to both residents as well as out-of-town persons owning property here. In the case of residents a true list is required of all their polls and personal estate not exempt from taxation of which they are possessed on April 1, and in the case of non-residents and foreign corporations there must be submitted a true list of all their personal estate in this city not exempt from taxation. Blank forms suitable for these returns may be had upon application at the assessors' office or will be mailed to any address upon application.

GALLAGHER'S MARKET

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SIRLOIN ROASTS .... 38¢

FRESH SHOULDERS, SMOKED SHOULDERS, CORNED SHOULDERS 22c Lb.

Hams, ... 35¢ lb.

Green Mountain Potatoes .... 95¢ pk.

White Granulated Sugar .... 17¢ lb.

Canned Corn, can .... 15¢

Canned Peas, can .... 15¢

Canned Tomatoes, can .... 15¢

VAN CAMP'S MILK, can .... 15¢

None to Dealers.

LARGE PRUNES, lb. .... 25¢

PURE JELLY, all flavors, ea. .... 15¢

FANCY HEAD RICE, lb. .... 17¢

MILD AMERICAN CHEESE, lb. .... 38¢

SPAGHETTI, pkg. .... 8¢

MACARONI, pkg. .... 8¢

GALLAGHER'S SPECIAL BLEND TEAS .... 35¢ lb., 3 lbs. $1.00

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CAMPBELL'S BEANS, can .... 12¢

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LIBBY'S TOMATO SOUP, can .... 10¢

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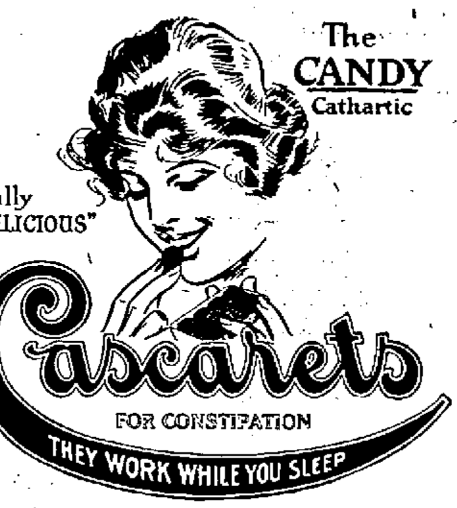

LIBERTY BOND COUPON THEFT UNSOLVED

Mystery still surrounds the theft of Liberty bond coupons, valued at $1200, which were taken from a counter in the banking rooms of the Lowell Trust Co., Wednesday afternoon. Supt. Welch said today that despite the fact that some of the coupons were returned to the bank yesterday by unknown persons, he intends to continue his investigations until the affair had been thoroughly cleared up.

The coupons returned yesterday were left in the banking rooms by unknown persons. They were in two sealed envelopes, and left there at different times during the day. It is said that other coupons were found in a down town restaurant and returned to the bank.

As all the banks in the city have been notified of the numbers of the stolen coupons it would be almost impossible for the thief to realize anything on them should he attempt to dispose of them in local banks.

WILL GIVE LENTEN ORGAN RECITAL

Miss Ella L. Gale will give the Lenten organ recital under the auspices of the Middlesex Women's club music committee, at the First Congregational church Saturday afternoon. The attendance at the first recital was restricted somewhat by unfavorable weather, but with better weather anticipated this week, it is hoped the many people will take advantage of the opportunity to hear an educational program of music. Everyone is welcome to attend these recitals and no fee is charged.

Miss Gale has selected the following program:

Fantasia in G Minor .... J. S. Bac[h]
Andante-Allegro (Sonata in C Minor) Theo. Salon[e]
Mountain Idyl .... Oscar E. Schmink[e]
Tocatta in E...... Homer N. Bartlet[t]
Romance Sans Paroles..Joseph Bonne[t]
Variations de Concert..Joseph Bonne[t]
Rimembranza .... Pietro A. Yo[n]
Minuetto Antico e Musetta. Pietro A. Yo[n]
Marche Triomphale .... Dubo[is]

TYNGSBORO LINE IS STILL CLOSED

Mr. Thomas Lees, manager of the Lowell district of the Eastern Massachusetts street railway stated today that an immediate opening of the Tyngsboro line should not be expected. The track in this direction was particularly hard hit because no cars were run out that way since last fall and consequently, the rails have not been cleared at all during the winter.

Since the time the railway refused to run cars on that route when jitneys competed on the same road no service has been maintained but because of the new jitney regulations put in force on March 1st which do away with such competition, officials of the company have ordered a crew of men to the scene to open up the line once more.

This morning a large squad of track men attacked the mounds of snow and ice covering the Tyngsboro rails above Stevens' corner. It will probably be a week before there will be any attempt to run cars to Tyngsboro, but if the weather becomes warmer the men will be aided in their work.

Prominent Peabody Man Found Dead

PEABODY, March 18.—Thomas H. O'Shea, a leather manufacturer widely known in the trade, and the principal real estate owner of this city, was found dead in his bed today. He was 53 years of age. The medical examiner reported death due to natural causes.

Leaves Berlin With Armed Forces

AMSTERDAM, March 18.—General von Luettwitz, who commanded the troops which supported the Kapp regime, has left Berlin with his armed forces, according to a telephone message received from Berlin this morning.

Another Strike in Fall River

FALL RIVER, March 18.—Marshall's Incorporated, a large hat factory here, was crippled when 300 union employes went on strike this morning. A few hands, not affiliated with the union, remained at work, but production has virtually stopped. Treasurer Edward Barker says that the employes have demanded a wage increase of between 40 and 50 per cent and he has refused to meet the demand. He said further that he would hold no further conferences with the employes or their union representatives.

FALL RIVER, March 18.—Action of the local ring spinning operatives in calling a strike here Monday, for a readjustment of wages, was endorsed at a meeting of the emergency committee of the United Textile Workers of America, in New York city yesterday, First Vice President Thomas F. McMahon reported to the Fall River union members on his arrival here this morning. There has been little change in the situation since Wednesday. One of the Granite mills has been forced to close because of shortage of yarn and the American Printing Co. plant is considerably crippled, union headquarters reported this morning. In all, seven mills are now idle because of the strike. President Golden is not in the city.

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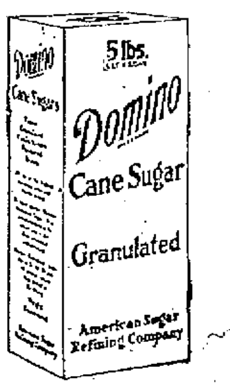

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BORAX SOAP............ 6 Cakes 25¢

Swt. Juicy Seedless ORANGES 59c Doz.

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Extra Heavy GRAPEFRUIT 10c Each

ROLLED OATS, 3-Lb. Pkg., 6 oz. only, pkg. 19c

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RITTER'S BEANS, 2 Cans........ 25c

GELATINE, 2 Pkgs. 15c

CLEANSER, Can 4c

1½ Pt. BOTTLE AMMONIA 9c

SUNNY MONDAY SOAP, 2 Cakes 13c

BRIDAL VEIL FLOUR

FANCY SPINACH, pk. 45¢

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New Hair Growth After BALDNESS

HAIR GROWN ON MR. BRITTAIN'S BALD HEAD BY INDIANS' MYSTERIOUS HAIR GROWER

My head at the top and back was absolutely bald. The scalp was shiny. An expert said that as he thought the hair roots were extinct, and there was no hope of my ever having a new hair growth.

Yet now, at an age over 66, I have a luxuriant growth of soft, strong, lustrous hair! No trace of baldness. The pictures shown here are from my photographs.

'From recent photo.

Indians' Secret of Hair Growth

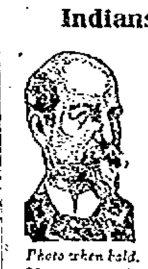
Photo when bald.

At a time when I had become discouraged at trying various hair lotions, tonics, specialists' treatments, etc., I came across, in my travels, a Cherokee Indian "medicine man" who had an elixir that he asseverated would grow my hair. Although I had but little faith, I gave it a trial. To my amazement a light fuzz soon appeared. It developed, day by day, into a healthy growth, and ere long my hair was as prolific as in my youthful days.

That I was astonished and happy is expressing my state of mind mildly.

Obviously, the hair roots had not been dead, but were dormant in the scalp, awaiting the fertilizing potency of the mysterious pomade.

I negotiated for and came into possession of the principle for preparing this mysterious elixir, now called Kotalko, and later had the recipe put into practical form by a chemist.

That my own hair growth was permanent has been amply proved. Many men and women, also children, have reported satisfactory results from Kotalko.

How YOU May Grow YOUR Hair

My honest belief is that hair roots rarely die even when the hair falls out through dandruff, fever, excessive dryness or other disorders. I have been told by experts that often when hair falls out the roots become imbedded within the scalp, covered by hard skin, so that they remain for a time like bulbs or seeds in a bottle which will grow when fertilized. Shampoos (which contain alkalis) and hair lotions which contain alcohol are enemies to the hair, as they dry it, making it brittle. Kotalko contains those elements of nature which give new vitality to the scalp and hair.

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Enclosed find 11 cents (to cover postage, packing and war tax) for Trial Package of Brownatone.
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MEN WEAR PETTICOATS—NOT IN U. S.

Nature has evened things up a bit in the Balan region of the Balkans, where skirts are worn by the men. The couple in the above picture, though but 15 and 16 years old, are husband and wife. The wife is togged out in hoop skirts and richly embroidered waist with sort of a cuirass composed of gold coins. The husband has petticoat under his outside skirt and a waist of linen and lace.

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Colds, Br. Asthma Oxidaze for Coughs,

Years of study and observation convinced him it would safely, quickly and surely stop a bad cough and give instant relief in Bronchial Asthma. Money back if it fails. Guaranteed harmless. At all druggists.

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DANCE IN CHELMSFORD

A successful dancing party was held last evening in the town hall, Chelmsford Centre, the affair being conducted under the auspices of Chelmsford post, 212, American Legion. The decorations were very attractive and the program was one of the best provided in a long time. Those responsible for the success of the event were Eric Barker, general manager; Nelson Silk, floor director; Harold H. Corson, Claude Gladu, Willis McComb, James Kiberd, Jr. and John Garvey.

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HOUSE IN FAVOR OF DAYLIGHT SAVING

BOSTON, March 18.—The "Daylight Saving" bill was ordered to a third reading in the Massachusetts house of representatives yesterday afternoon by a standing vote of 130 to 43. An attempt by the opponents of the measure to have it referred to the next general court was defeated by a standing vote of 100 to 84.

The measure has still another stage in the lower branch after which it will go before the senate. Although the bill provides that "daylight saving" shall begin the last Sunday of the present month, it will be necessary for the legislature to attach an emergency preamble by a two-thirds vote of the members of each branch present and voting. Yesterday's vote in the house indicates that it will be possible for the friends of the bill in the lower branch to attach the preamble if there is no change in the attitude of the members. Not until the senate acts can the fate of the proposition be determined.

Reverse Action on Insurance Bill

The house, on a voice vote, rejected the bill to permit insurance companies to invest their capital and reserve in national banks, savings banks, co-operative banks and the savings departments of trust companies. This is the measure which occasioned a sensational debate in the senate about two weeks ago, when Senator Reed condemned the measure and criticised Bank Commissioner Thorndike.

Although the house had previously passed the measure without debate, it yesterday supported a motion by Mr. Briggs of Amesbury to strike out the enacting clause. This is an expedient seldom resorted to.

The bill to reduce from 10 days to seven the time following an injury when compensation may begin to an injured employe was discussed. It had already been substituted for an adverse committee report. Mr. Abbott of Haverhill declared that the bill was "substituted last week by mistake" and that organized labor "had an understanding it would not support it." Mr. Doyle of New Bedford said three representatives of organized labor had agreed to reference to the next legislature. Mr. Harrington of Fall River declared no representative of organized labor had a right "to trade off the votes of members."

Reference to the next general court was defeated by a rollcall vote of 112 to 83. No vote was reached on the question of ordering the bill to a third reading.

Bill to Define "Net Income"

The taxation committee reported a bill to define the term "net income" as used in the income tax law, to be such income as is required to be returned to the national authorities under the national income tax law, minus the income from United States securities and plus income from corporations, associations, partnerships and trusts which is taxable under Massachusetts law.

A bill from the committee on agriculture makes it more feasible to recover damages for injury or death to domestic animals by dogs.

On the first call of the calendar the houes accepted the adverse report on the petition for an act to make it a crime for street railway employes to strike.

The speaker announced that Thomas P. Collins of Medford and Edward J. Harrington of New Bedford, who have been elected to take the places of deceased members, had been sworn in.

The committees on railroads and street railways, sitting jointly, reported a resolve for further investigation of a comprehensive rapid transit system for the Dorchester district, by the department of public utilities and the transit department of Boston as a joint commission, report to be made to the legislature not later than Jan. 10, 1921, an allowance of $25,000 being made for expenses.

The committee on public institutions reported a bill for militar drills and athletic sports for inmates of penal institutions.

Leave to withdraw was reported by the committee on legal affairs on the petition for licensing janitors of apartment houses of three or more apartments.

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HELD ST. PATRICK'S DAY OBSERVANCE

A St. Patrick's day social and dancing party was enjoyed by the girls of the Community Service club at their rooms in the Runels building last evening. The assembly hall was appropriately decorated with shamrocks and other designs of green crepe paper, the work of Miss Ethel Sabourin, Miss Catherine O'Neil and Miss Ethel Lowney.

A delightful entertainment included Irish dances by Miss Mae McDonald and songs by Miss Clementine Verloove, Miss Sadie Melancon, Andrew Kelliher and Warren Kane.

The primary contests for club officers will be held on March 30, when the following list of nominees will be voted on: For president, May Hewson, Ida Zall, Mildred Cox; vice president, Sadie Smith, Ruth Hartigan, Florence Soton, Lillian Reneaud; secretary, Helen Ohlson, Gertrude McGrossman, Catherine O'Neil, Helen Ready; treasurer, Hilda Pearson, Noreen Graffam, Alice O'Brien, Ethel Sabourin.

A mass meeting of club girls will be held next Sunday afternoon in the interests of Lowell Community Service, Inc. Otto Hockmeyer and William N. Goodell will speak and Mrs. Nano Gallagher Leahey will sing.

IRISH CONCERT AND DANCE BY Y.M.C.I.

An Irish concert and a dance held under the auspices of the Young Men's Catholic Institute in their hall in Stackpole street last evening was the occasion of a very enjoyable time for a goodly number of Y.M.C.I. members and their friends. The following young people took part in the concert: Misses Geneva Paul, Sadie Kenny, Rosetta Lafferty, and Charles Keyes, Thomas Carlin, Frank O'Neill, William Collins, William Moss, Charles McGovern, and Andrew Doyle. The musical director was John McCaffrey.

The officers were: John O'Connell, general manager; Frank O'Neill, treasurer; William Collins, secretary; James Gillogly, floor director; Henry Corey, chief aid.

SCHOOL TEACHERS HAVE JOLLY PARTY

Teachers of the local high school held a merry get-together in the school hall in Kirk street last evening to celebrate their achievements this winter on the bowling alleys. Prizes were awarded to the winning team and the surrounding program included a full-course banquet, music and a number of games. The members of the winning bowling team, Miss Martin, Miss Tobin, Miss Killpartrick, Miss Chapman and Mr. Pyne, were awarded appropriate prizes, most of them accompanied with bits of wit expressed in poetry. Henry H. Harris, headmaster, was among those present to enjoy the evening's fun and Donald McIntire, physical instructor, was in general direction of the evening's arrangements.

DANCING PARTY BY MOTORCYCLE CLUB

Lincoln hall was the scene, last evening of the first annual dancing party of the Spindle City Motorcycle club. The dance order was of 20 numbers with many extras and the members of the club assert that it was the best time in the history of the club. The preparations and arrangements were up to the minute and thus contributed greatly to the enjoyment of the party. The dancers departed at midnight.

The following were in charge: Morton V. Loud, general manager; Frank Fancuf, assistant general manager; Charles Lane, floor director; James Blackstock, assistant floor director; and Forrest E. Drake, chief aid.

Being their first dance the members were in high glee because of such unbounded success and are grateful to their many friends who attended and whose enthusiasm made manifest their appreciation.

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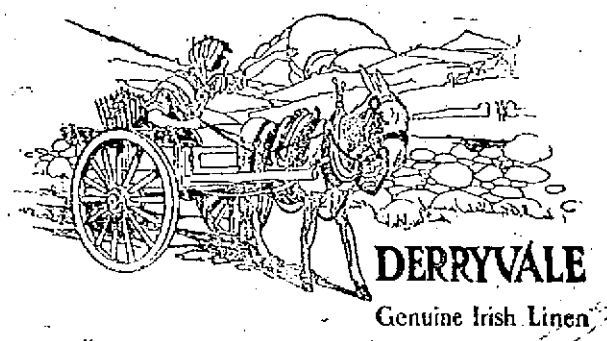

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2x2 yd. Scalloped All Linen Set with ½ doz. Napkins to match, value $19.00, **$15.00**

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Pure Irish Linen Scalloped Cloths, 2¼ yards in diameter, fine heavy quality. Value $18.50, $15.00 Each

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Heavy all pure linen double damask, 70 in. wide, in rose, lily of the valley, and chrysanthemum patterns, $4.00 value, for this sale, $3.50 Yard

One lot of very heavy double damask napkins, 24x24 in. square, $15.00 value....$11.50 Doz.

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18x54 Lace Scarfs .....$1.29 to $3.98

18x54 Hand Embroidered Madeira Scarfs, $8.50 to $32.75

18 in. to 54 in. Madeira Centerpieces, $1.00 to $15.98 Each

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"Thousands die yearly because they neglect their kidneys," said Dr. Carey, "and I feel upon retiring that I should tell all who even suspect kidney or bladder trouble about my prescription, Marshroot, which, during my active practice, has cured thousands of all kinds of kidney ailments."

This prescription has been given to pharmacists generally throughout America and is dispensed by them under the name Dr. Carey's Marshroot, a name that every sufferer from kidney trouble should remember. Fred Howard can supply you.—Adv.

Why Measles May Be Dangerous

This is No. 3 of a series of advertisements, prepared by a competent physician, explaining how certain diseases which attack the air passages—such as Pneumonia, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Measles or even a long continued Cold—often leave these organs in an inflamed, congested state, thus affording a favorable foothold for invading germs. And how Vick's VapoRub may be of value in this condition.

Few of us escape measles—it is one of the commonest of childhood diseases. Every mother knows the symptoms, but the mistake that most mothers make is in failing to realize that the child is not fully recovered after the eruption and fever disappear. The air passages are still inflamed and if this inflammation is not cleared up, the air passages may be weakened, thus paving the way for pneumonia or serious disease of the lungs.

Nightly applications of Vick's VapoRub will aid nature in relieving this inflammation. Because Vicks acts locally by stimulation thru the skin to draw out the inflammation, attract the blood away from the congested spots and relieve the cough. In addition, the medicinal ingredients of Vicks are vaporized by the body heat. These vapors are breathed in all night long, bringing the medication to bear directly upon the inflamed areas.

Children's digestions are delicate—easily disturbed by too much "dosing." Vicks, therefore, is particularly recommended since it is externally applied and so can be used often and freely without the slightest harmful effects.

Vicks should be rubbed in over the throat and chest until the skin is red—then spread on thickly and covered with hot flannel cloths. Leave the clothing loose around the neck and the bed clothes arranged in the form of a funnel so the vapors arising may be freely inhaled. If the cough is annoying, swallow a small bit of Vicks the size of a pea.

Samples to new users will be sent free on request to the Vick Chemical Company, 233 Broad Street, Greensboro, N. C.

30c 60c $1.20 VICKS VapoRub *Your Bodyguard Against Colds*

More Than 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

Report Incomes of $1,000,000

CHICAGO, March 18.—Incomes of $1,000,000 or more for 1919, were reported by 731 individuals and corporations in the Chicago district, officials of the internal revenue department announced today. Thirty-one Chicagoans were added last year to the ranks of those whose incomes exceed a million dollars. One corporation was reported to have paid $6,000,000 as the first instalment of $24,000,000 due the government as income tax. Another corporation's quarterly payment amounted to $2,500,000.

American Steamer on Fire

PANAMA, March 18.—The American steamship Olockson, from Philadelphia, March 2 for Vladivostok, caught fire Saturday off Cape Mala, after leaving Balboa. The Olockson was towed back to Balboa harbor by a government tug and scuttled.

The Olockson, a vessel of 6076 gross tons, is owned by the United States Shipping board and operated by the Pacific Steamship Co. Radio advices to the naval communication service in New York state that she was loaded with gasoline.

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That's what you're doing every time you take new unknown remedies for which marvelous claims are made. Your health is too important to risk in questionable experiments, especially when your druggist always has the tried and tested "L. F." Atwood's Medicine on hand. This worthy old remedy well deserves the confidence that 60 years of unchanging quality have established.

At the first signs of stomach disorder, biliousness, or headache, one or two teaspoonfuls of "L. F." will quickly restore normal conditions to your digestive organs. Small doses, taken regularly, will maintain a healthy condition that will ward off colds and disease. Get a bottle today and keep a supply always on hand. Large bottle, 50 cents, or a generous free sample from the "L. F." Medicine Co., Portland, Maine.

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It is reported that the ex-kaiser has cut his 16,000th tree. Can it be that he means to start a woodyard?

The senate is holding up the affairs of state in refusing to confirm the appointment of Bainbridge Colby.

Bandits continue to rob banks and escape in automobiles. How about using this fact as an argument for a return to the horse-drawn vehicle?

Lowell did splendid work in the Irish bond drive. This city has always been a leader in subscribing to funds for the Irish cause. It is hoped this will be the last appeal.

Herr Kapp wore the headgear of German chancellor only a comparatively short time. He then "decided" to resign. Steel and bullets are doing most of the deciding in Berlin just now.

Canada is not inclined to yield her place in the League of Nations to admit the United States. In that case, her best plan would be to sever the connection with Britain and enter as an independent nation.

It is rather late in the season to talk of increasing the price of hard coal, as proposed if the demands of the anthracite coal miners be granted. Why should not the operators be forced to stand the increase without passing it on to the consumer.

Another blizzard sweeps the Dakotas—the worst storm in more than 30 years. Please, Mister Weather Man, steer it away from this winter-sick section of the country. We could not stand another one without thinking you biased. New England is beautiful in springtime; give us a chance!

The ice in the Merrimack river at Manchester has begun to move out, fearing dam flashboards along with it. The river is going to be worth looking at within a few days, but will someone please take down the wind-breakers on the Pawtucket bridge so people of ordinary height may peek over the top?

Chemnitz proclaims a republic and announces a "committee of action" which includes 10 communists, six independent socialists, four majority socialists and one democrat. Chemnitz will get plenty of action, all right, all right, but who wants to change places with the lone democrat?

Attorney General Palmer's plan to cut down the cost of living is to work 10 per cent more and spend 10 per cent less. That is a good rule for those who have been taking things easy and spending freely; but there are people who cannot afford to work harder or live more frugally than they have been living.

Unless taxi fares are reduced in Paris, drivers of such vehicles there threaten to strike. Novel? Well, rather, but the operators say people will not ride and pay such high fares. The people strike against riding and the chauffeurs threaten to strike to make them ride. Only, the ugly word "strike" is not used when applied to the general public, "boycott" being used instead.

It is certainly time the judges of the superior court received an increase of salary. In 1911, their stipend was fixed at $8000, which today is not worth more than half that amount ten years ago. The state cannot afford to neglect its judiciary which is made up of men of the highest character and ability. The bill providing for an increase should be promptly passed.

In view of the acute housing problem it appears that some form of government aid is necessary in order to enable more people to find comfortable homes. In spite of the high cost of building materials, there are many families who would build homes if they could readily secure the necessary financial assistance. Unless the state adopts some method of advancing loans to the people, the housing problem is not likely to be relieved to any great extent during the coming summer.

If the charges made as to conditions at the Long Island hospital in Boston harbor be true, there is certainly need of a radical shakeup. If human lives were sacrificed to save coal, then the officials responsible should be displaced by others who would rate human life above a little coal, even though there was a shortage of fuel. It is to be hoped the situation has not been as bad as reported.

There is little doubt that the present civil strife in Germany has been instigated by the militaristic element with the hope of restoring monarchy. There will be no proposal to restore the deposed emperor; but undoubtedly an attempt will be made to overthrow the republic, establish a monarchy and proclaim one of the Hohenzollern princes as king. The situation calls for the careful consideration of the allies with the possibility of intervention.

SENATOR WALSH'S POINT

Senator Walsh, in a speech to the senate, pointed out what he felt to be a defect in the League of Nations covenant, in the fact that it has no provision for hearing the claims of subject nationalities for self-government or freedom. Nothing can come before the council except by unanimous consent; and if any people made a demand for freedom from the rule of a power represented in the council, the objection of that power would prevent the appeal from being heard. A reservation covering this point would have removed much of the opposition to the ratification of the treaty by the United States senate.

FAVOR TAX CHANGES

Repeal of the excess profits tax, the surtax and a decrease in the inheritance tax in favor of a consumption tax at a fixed rate for amounts in excess of one dollar, have been favored by the New York Chamber of Commerce which sent a delegation to Washington to impress upon the president the need of such a change. Men of wealth favor the proposed change, as they are subject to many heavy imposts increasing with the amount taxed. The aim of the government in imposing such taxes is to force those who have the money to pay a greater proportion than does the man of moderate means. It is claimed that the proposed change would reduce the high cost of living; but on the other hand, the increased tax on consumption would tend to add to the H.C.L. perhaps as much as the amount of reduction at other points.

The petitioners show that the man who has an income of $5000 per annum would have to work eight days for the government to pay his income tax, whereas the man who has an income of $50,000 would have to work 68 days in order to pay his income tax. That is one of the inequalities which the New York Chamber of Commerce wants removed. The change would naturally be opposed by labor and other organizations which feel that it is right to pile all the burdens possible on the shoulders of capital.

SHAPING THE ISSUES

The Anti-Saloon league announces that in the coming election, it will oppose all candidates who are opposed to prohibition. On the other side, the "wets" are lining up in support of men who favor either the repeal of the Volstead act or a modification of the prohibition amendment.

It is quite likely, therefore, that there will be a complication of issues, inasmuch as the American Federation of Labor has declared that it will sternly oppose every candidate who has a record of opposition to labor.

But as the labor men are also opposed to strict prohibition, their fealty to labor will be severely tested when they find a candidate whose labor record is bad, but who is strongly opposed to prohibition.

Should the League of Nations, the tariff and a few other issues be thrown into the campaign in addition to labor and prohibition, even Chairman Hays of the republican national committee should have all the issues he needs for his national platform.

It seems that in the fight over the League of Nations, prohibition and labor matters, many of the great problems of reconstruction are being lost sight of. It is hoped, however, that the treaty wrangle will be settled in the near future and that congress will then be able to direct more of its time to real business, and especially to the proper launching of our merchant marine into the channels of world commerce.

WHY IT COSTS TO BUILD

The United States Department of Justice is pressing a suit in the federal court of Memphis, Tenn., against the American Hardwood Manufacturers association and 333 of its members.

According to the government, the statistical bureau conducted by the association is, in effect, a medium for boosting and equalizing prices. The association denies this, claiming that its "open competition plan" is a method for keeping members posted as to prices, sales and general conditions in the lumber industry.

Testimony introduced by the government is interesting. The association's own figures were quoted to show that 21 grades of hardwood lumber have advanced in price 147 per cent since the "open competition plan" was begun in January, 1919. Lumber which sold at $100 a year ago, now brings $247.

Letters written by lumbermen to the association headquarters were introduced as evidence. One said:

"Under the old plan," wrote an enthusiastic Alabama member, "it was everyone for himself and prices were not so stable. Under the 'open competition plan,' there seems to be a friendly rivalry to see who can get the best prices."

An Ohio member gratefully wrote that, after ordering 200,000 feet of lumber, one of the association's bulletins arrived, showing that market conditions had changed. So, when the lumber was received, $2 was added to the price.

Another letter reads like a patent medicine testimonial:

"The very first report which we secured under this plan enabled us to increase our price $6 per thousand."

In addition to price-boosting, the government charges that the American Hardwood Manufacturers association sought to limit production and cautioned its members that "co-operation, not competition, is the life of trade."—N.E.A.

KEEPING THE WOLF AWAY

Each week, Metro pays Nazimova $13,000. Geraldine Farrar receives from Goldwyn $10,000 every Saturday. William S. Hart netted more than $900,000 in the past two years and for nine productions in the next two years, he will get $2,250,000. Mary Pickford's income in 1919 was close to the half million mark, the net profit of three pictures she made at $250,000 each.

Many a salaried star in the motion picture world has fared better than Chaplin in the last two years, for since his million-dollar contract was made he has drawn less than half a million, besides paying the cost of his productions. The profits of Norma Talmadge and Anita Stewart in 1918 and 1919 are estimated at something around half a million to each. Theda Bara was receiving $4000 a week when last heard from.

Other filmland stars receive checks ranging from $5000 to the paltry $1000 a week, while leading men and women—and even character actors—have found a silver lining to the threatening high cost of living cloud.

Where is the end? Is this a period of unusual inflation or are such enormous salaries fixed upon a new level to which we must adjust ourselves?

Can we afford to pay a motion picture favorite $13,000 each week and a school teacher less than $2000 a year? Is the amount of money we raise for our clergy a fair example of the value we place upon their teachings and influence in a community? Should Nazimova, with all her charms and powers of interpretation, receive almost $700,000 a year when we hesitate to appropriate even that much for the operation of Lowell's entire public school system for 12 months? We pay the president of the United States $75,000 a year, a mere bagatelle in comparison.

If this is not all inflation, what, please, are to be the new standards by which we may accurately measure the worth of a man or woman to business, to the community and to posterity?

SEEN AND HEARD

But you can't say the weathermaker has been underproducing bad weather.

After reaching the age of 78, Michael Peterson, Collinswood, N. J., learned to read. Now he's a preacher and only 93.

Bernard Baruch insists the Sixty-sixth congress holds the undisputed title of champion non-producer in America.

Lunch at the wake may be properly charged against the estate as part of the funeral expenses, according to a decision by the court of appeals at Frankfort, Ky.

Harry Lauder said: "The six-hour-a-day man is doing only a half a day's work and should be paid half a day's pay." But Harry Lauder goes right on with his tiring stage efforts, an hour a day, at something like $500 a week.

A favorite mode of suicide among the African tribes who dwell near Lake Nyassa is to wade into the lake and there calmly wait for a man-eating crocodile to come and finish the job. After which there is no need for a coroner.

This is something you may want to clip out before your wife reads the paper:

Pink cheeks may be electrically tattooed on by a machine, but recently invented. They last a lifetime, and won't rub off on your coat collar.

Laughed Too Soon

Tommy came out of a room in which his father was tacking down carpet. He was crying justly.

"Why, Tommy, what's the matter?" asked his mother.

"P-p-p-p-papa hit his fingers with the hammer," sobbed Tommy.

"Well, you needn't cry at a little thing like that," comforted the mother. "Why didn't you laugh?"

"I did," sobbed Tommy, disconsolate. —The Friend for Boys and Girls.

'Twas Precious Wit

According to tradition the Russian conquest of Finland, now again free, was foretold in jest that soon became earnest by its conqueror, Peter the Great, to his jester, Balakireff. The court fool had vexed the Czar by too impudent a joke, and had been summarily banished with a menacing injunction never to appear on Russian soil again. He disappeared discreetly but one day not long after Peter, glancing out of a window, saw his unmistakable figure and quizzical countenance jogging comfortably by, perched in a country cart. Impulsively he ran down to him and demanded to know why he had been disobeyed.

"I have not disobeyed your majesty," was the answer. "I'm not on Russian soil."

"Not on Russian soil?"

"No, this cartload of earth that I'm sitting on is Swedish soil. I dug it up in Finland only the other day."

Peter laughed.

Balakireff once interceded for the life of a reckless relative, who had offended the Czar and was under sentence of death. As soon as the jester showed himself at court Peter, foreseeing a petition for mercy, roared out angrily: "It's no use your coming here! I swear that I will not grant what you are going to ask!"

Quick as a flash Balakireff dropped to his knees and cried entreatingly: "Pete Alexeivitch, I beseech you, put that scamp of a cousin of mine to death!"

All present broke into laughter, in which the Czar, so neatly trapped by his own declaration, presently joined, and Balakireff's cousin kept his head on his shoulder.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Somehow or Other

Somehow or other we can't get along
As well as we know that we ought to.
Somehow or other we manage things wrong.
And though we give plenty of thought to
The matter of planning a system of life
With much more of conscience and morals,
Somehow or other we get into strife
And woes, tribulations and quarrels.

Somehow or other we mean to do right
Then fail in the thing we intended!
Somehow or other we row and we fight
Until the whole business is ended;
We make of the world a disorderly sphere
Of antagonistical factions,
Which, somehow or other, consistently queer
Our most philanthropic reactions.

Somehow or other we try to be kind
And somehow or other we botch it.
We mean to see clearly, and then go it blind,
We turn a new leaf—and we splotch it;
It's utterly silly, impossible, vain,
This world—if you pause to construe it—
And people can't live through it all and keep sane,
Yet, somehow or other, we do it!
—Berton Braley, in The Home Sector.

LABOR UNION MEETINGS

The weekly meeting of the Building Trades council was held last night in Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street. There was a large attendance and routine business was transacted.

Stationary Engineers

Routine business was transacted at the regular weekly meeting of the Stationary Engineers' union which was held last evening at labor headquarters in Central street.

EAGLES ELECT DELEGATES

Aerie No. 223, Fraternal Order of Eagles held its regular meeting Tuesday evening at Eagles hall with Worthy Pres. David J. Hackett presiding. There was quite a spirited contest on the election of delegates to the state convention which will be held at New Bedford, May 30, 31 and June 1st. The following members were elected: Peter Brady, George W. Carey, Secretary John M. Hogan, and Trustee John J. Driscoll.

Rehearsals are being held weekly for the Aerie's minstrel revue and dance. There were 10 propositions for membership received and 12 members initiated.

Thought She Would Die from Eczema

"I went to Johns Hopkins Hospital. I went to several doctors. I tried other remedies. I thought I would die. D.D.D. cured me after I had given up all hope to ever get well again on earth.—Mrs. Emma Wise, 848 Franklin St., Baltimore.

We ourselves have seen D. D. D. heal so many cases of severe skin trouble that we know it will help you too. In fact we guarantee the first bottle. 35c, 60c and $1.00.

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ALL HIS AILMENTS DISAPPEARED

When He Tried "Fruit-a-tives" or Fruit Liver Tablets

MOUNT BELKNAP HOTEL, LAKEPORT, N.H.

"At 70 years of age, *chronic Constipation* was causing me to suffer with distressing Headaches, Dizziness and Indigestion.

I believe I have taken more medicine than any half-dozen people in town; but *nothing did me good until I tried 'Fruit-a-tives'.*

Right away I could see their good effects. After taking them for three months, my bowels were regular, and the other ailments disappeared".

FRANK A. HALE.

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MAN ABOUT TOWN

City Clerk Stephen Flynn calls my attention to the fact that the list of regulations regarding the solemnizing of marriages in this state, as recently promulgated from the office of the secretary of the commonwealth for the purpose of bringing such regulations to the attention of those not thoroughly familiar with them, contains one clause which might possibly give the wrong impression upon first reading. The clause in question says that if both parties of the marriage reside outside the state, whoever solemnizes their marriage must first have a copy of the certificate of their marriage intention from the city or town clerk of the place in Massachusetts where the marriage is to be solemnized. Certificates from outside the state are of no value here. There must be some authorization from authorities within the state. As originally promulgated, the clause would give the impression that the latter essential was not required.

I have just received a copy of the inaugural address of Bernard J. Golden, mayor of Woburn, delivered on the occasion of his second inauguration to that office a few months ago. A number of Lowell people are interested in Mayor Golden's official career because of the fact that his wife is a former Lowell girl. She and her distinguished husband are frequent visitors to this city and enjoy a wide circle of friends and acquaintances here. Mayor Golden's inaugural shows his city to be in a prosperous financial condition. His program of activities for 1920 is most comprehensive and if carried out will reflect no little credit on his administration.

I visited the local Greek community recently, walked through their streets and entered one of the Greek coffee houses, expecting to find the president of the Lowell Orthodox community, as I learned that he patronized that place occasionally. I did not meet the president, but instead, the secretary of the community with whom I started a conversation at a table at which two other men besides me were seated. I was offered cigars and cocoa or any kind of tonic, but I refused and turned the talk to affairs in the colony. The three men, one of whom could speak English fairly well, managed to tell me what I asked by speaking through this one man acting as an interpreter. One of the interesting bits of conversation was in regard to the Greek soldiers in the war. The secretary said that nine soldiers from the Lowell Greek community were killed in the war as American soldiers and 50 Lowell Greeks were wounded. I learned further that nearly all of these wounded men have returned to Lowell and are now back at work as before the war. Whether they know the advantages offered by the United States government or not, those wounded men are not availing themselves of the opportunities for schooling at the expense of the government. The secretary mentioned one fellow not a wounded soldier who is anxious to attend school but does not know where to go to register.

MYSTERY CLUB HAS LADIES' NIGHT

One of the most successful social events of the season was the annual ladies' night staged by the Mystery club last evening in Odd Fellows hall, Bridge street. A large crowd of young people attended and found plenty of enjoyment in the zestful program arranged by the committee in charge which embraced dancing, entertainment numbers and, of course, refreshments.

The officers of the club acted as the managers of the dance, as follows: General manager, Frank McGrail; assistant general manager, Charles Lynch; floor director, Luke Duffy; assistant floor director, George Kelley; treasurer, Patrick Bradley.

HAVE COLOR IN CHEEKS

Be Better Looking—Take Olive Tablets

If your skin is yellow—complexion pallid—tongue coated—appetite poor—you have a bad taste in your mouth—a lazy, no-good feeling—you should take Olive Tablets.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—a substitute for calomel—were prepared by Dr. Edwards after 17 years of study. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color.

To have a clear, pink skin, bright eyes, no pimples, a feeling of buoyancy like childhood days you must get at the cause. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act on the liver and bowels like calomel—yet have no dangerous after effects.

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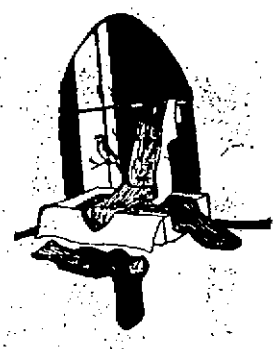

MEN'S SILK SOCKS

Exceptional quality, in black, navy, grey and cordovan—with lisle spliced heels and toes.

75c

These goods were ordered eleven months ago, and have just been received. Bought today at the present cost of silk hose the price would be $1.25.

While this lot lasts the price will be

75c

Putnam & Son Co.

166 Central Street

Revolt Pleases Ex-Emperor Charles

GENEVA, March 18.—Former Emperor Charles of Austria, who is now making his home at Prangins, is reported to have been evidently pleased when he first received word of the reactionary revolt in Berlin. He refused to express any opinion, however, but is closely following developments and is receiving many telegrams and letters every day.

Former Empress Zita is also in constant communication with Vienna and has received a large number of visitors during the last few days. She is reported to be in better spirits than she has been for some time.

German National Assembly Meets

STUTTGART, March 17. (By Associated Press.)—Two hundred and fifty members of the German National assembly held a meeting in the Art hall here this afternoon. Military forces are occupying the great open place before the hall. No disorders occurred while the members were assembling.

Airplanes are flying over the city warning the people against demonstrations.

Explorer Stefansson Resigns

OTTAWA, Ont., March 18.—Viljhalmar Stefansson, the Arctic explorer, has resigned from the governmental commission inquiring into the possibilities of northern development for meat producing purposes, according to an announcement by Arthur Meighen, minister of the interior. Stefansson has sailed for England and it is understood that the purpose of his trip is to seek to interest private capital in the project.

King Alfonso To See Ear Specialist

MADRID, March 17.—King Alfonso left today by Bordeaux; where he will visit a specialist in diseases of the ear.

Everybody in Lowell a Member

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This is a duplicate of the Membership Card. CUT OUT—SIGN UP—enclose your membership dues, and mail or deliver to 175 Dutton St., where your proper Membership Card will be attended to.

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GEORGE E. KING, Treasurer.

They Outwitted Germans Through Fog and Rain
Now Preen Feathers in Pigeons' Hall of Fame

Feathered Heroes—three American messengers and one captured German bird.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 17.—Membership in the A.P.S. is a military honor no mere man may achieve.

The A.P.S. stands for the American Pigeon Service of the United States army.

When the history of the greatest of all wars is written, these American birds will have their names in the annals. It will be told how the Huns were organized into shotgun squads to kill the winged messengers, but how 85 per cent of them out-distanced the bullets and "homed" with messages that enabled American artillery to locate and silence the enemy guns, to destroy trains of the foes' ammunition and to save thousands of American lives by re-enforcements and timely rescues.

"Heavier-than-air" planes were not the only ones who sailed above the enemy's heads. The Army Signal Corps had 10,000 pigeons overseas and 10,000 in America to be sent if they were needed. Birds carried 403 messages of incalculable importance, and at times when all other means of communication were unavailable.

Helps Silence Enemy

"The Mocker," with his eye destroyed by a piece of shrapnel and his head a welter of clotted blood homed in splendid time on the morning of Sept. 12, a few minutes after 7 o'clock, in a thick fog and heavy rain. Never faltering, he bore tidings of a particularly important objective reached and gave the location of several of the enemy's heavy batteries which were doing terrible execution on the advancing American troops. With the information American artillerymen were able to silence the enemy's guns within 20 minutes. The Mocker's wounds were dressed, he recovered and is now in the loft in Potomac Park here. The accompanying picture was taken on the blind side, showing his "disability" is the loss of a right eye.

Cited For Bravery

No less valiant is the record of "President Wilson," a huge blue bird of wonderful vitality and rapidity of flight. So gallant was his work during the operations of the tanks on the St. Mihiel front that he received the commendation of the signal officer of the First Corps. He was then transferred to the Meuse-Argonne sector.

On the morning of Nov. 5, through heavy rain and fog, and with a leg shot off, the big blue arrived at his loft with an important message. This was his second flight on this front and he made over 20 kilometers (12½ miles) in 21 minutes. "President Wilson" also recovered and is now in the Hall of Honor of the American Pigeon Service here.

Died From Wounds

Perhaps the most heroic bird that died on the American front was "Cher Ami." He carried a tremendously important message from Grand Pre, on the Argonne, over 25 miles of hills and dales, to his loft in Rampont. He shot up from behind the American breastworks like a rocket. His pigeoneer saw him falter and flutter in the air a moment, recover, poise in mid-air for a second, and then, like a flash of light, shoot away with his head pointing homeward. At Rampont straight out of the sky like a plummet he dropped, striking his loft breast first. Sergeant Keckler, his trainer, found the message tube was hanging from the ligaments of his leg, and he had a hole in his breast. "Cher Ami" died from his wounds and his body is mounted in the Smithsonian Institute.

Too Fast For Bullets

Perhaps the busiest bird on the American front was "Spike." Spike is the color of the sky, flies like greased lightning and eluded the Boche bullets. He delivered 52 important messages, never made a mistake, and didn't get a scratch. He, too, is back in Washington.

No. 67552 has no name yet. As far as is known, he was the only German bird captured alive. He was taken by the Americans in the St. Mihiel drive and is now associating with the American pigeons in Potomac Park.

STRAND THEATRE NOW PLAYING

"She's a picture anyway!"

WITH topboots, sombrero and everything—

Startling Society with a wild west garden party, which ends like a Villa raid—

Picture all this, and still you have only an inkling of the hundred and one manifestations of mischief which end with Mabel's departure for Arizona again, with several perfectly proper gentlemen chaperones.

The funniest farce ever filmed, played by the cleverest comedienne ever screened!

Watch for "Pinto" at your favorite theatre

Samuel Goldwyn *Presents*
MABEL NORMAND
in "PINTO"
Written and Directed by Victor Schertzinger

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Tom Moore in "Toby's Bow"
Rex Beach's "The Silver Horde"
Rupert Hughes' "The Cup of Fury"
Pauline Frederick in "The Policer Case"
Madge Kennedy in "The Blooming Angel"
Will Rogers in "Water, Water Everywhere"
Jack Pickford in "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come"
Goldwyn Bray Animated Cartoons

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HONEST MERCHANDISING

Congressman Rogers Proposes Penalties For Deception and Misbranding

(Special to The Sun)

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 18.—A bill introduced this week in congress by Representative Rogers of Lowell will have a far-reaching effect in industrial centres and, in fact, will strike all trade centres if it passes. The bill is known as the honest merchandise act and is based on the same principles as the pure food act, but extends into textiles, boots, shoes, watches, and all other merchandise not covered by the pure food act. Its purpose is to prevent the sale, manufacture or transportation of merchandise under misbranded or misleading statements. The United States has never had such a law but England has tried it with excellent results, a bill along these same lines having been passed there in 1887, since which time it has been constantly in effect. Mr. Rogers has made it clear that it is not his intention in any way to interfere with proper trade marks, such as are now used by well known manufacturers of textiles, watches and boots and shoes, etc., but it is to prevent fraudulent use of trade marks tending to deceive the consumer, the falsifying of weights and substitution of imitations together with misleading and false advertisements, that his bill is framed. Power to prosecute and investigate is placed in the hands of the department of justice, treasury and commerce, with penalties as provided in the bill. Among other things the bill covers misrepresentation by merchants, manufacturers and jobbers; substitution of imitations, falsifying weights, and prohibits the use of trade marks so closely resembling recognized trade marks already in use that they are caluculated to deceive purchasers. The interstate and foreign commerce committee will give the bill a hearing on Friday of this week at which time Mr. Rogers will explain in detail and refer to the practical workings of a similar bill in England.

RICHARDS.

GROWING DEAF WITH HEAD NOISES? TRY THIS

If you are growing hard of hearing and fear Catarrhal Deafness or if you have roaring, rumbling, hissing noises in your ears, go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parmint (double strength), and add to it ½ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone who is threatened with Catarrhal Deafness or who has head noises should give this prescription a trial.—Adv.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

By Theatres' Own Press Agents

OPERA HOUSE

The comedy part played by Miss Priscilla Knowles is one of the many enjoyable features of the week's production—the double drama—"Yes or No" by the popular Lowell Players at the Opera House this week. Miss Knowles is a thorough actress and her characterization of breezy "Emma" this week is rich in humor. You'll like her immensely. Miss Fields and an unusually large cast handle their respective parts remarkably well. If you anticipate a visit during the remaining performances you should order your tickets well in advance. Tel. 261. Next week's offering will be the famous mystery drama, "The 13th Chair."

THE STRAND

You can't afford to miss the all-star picture at The Strand for the last three days of the week. Mabel Normand the fascinating little star of the screen in "Pinto" and William Russell in "Shod with Fire," are both extraordinary picturizations. See them.

Who is the most popular lady movie patron in Lowell? She's certainly in luck, whoever she is! The Strand management is going to present her a $100 Easter hat! Watch for later announcements. They'll be interesting to the women folk.

SALEM CADET BAND

We should be pleased to hear that band again. It is one of the best ever.—Washington Post Editorial.

The music was simply superb. It is doubtful if anything equal to it can be recalled on a similar occasion.—Boston Globe.

Hundreds of comments similar to the above might be reproduced in connection with the history of the Salem Cadet band, which gives concerts here in Associate hall Sunday afternoon and evening. Marjorie Moody, soprano soloist with Sousa's band, will sing at both concerts.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Ethel Clayton in "Young Mrs. Winthrop" at the Merrimack Square theatre today, tomorrow and Saturday, plays the role of a young wife who sees her husband drifting away from her owing to her love of pleasure and his absorption in business. A five year old daughter is all that holds the two together until her tragic death seems to widen their differences. At last, through the efforts of a wise lawyer the two are brought together and the ending is as it should be. The beautiful actress is at her best in this production. Dorothy Gish in "Mary Ellen Comes to Town," is the other feature for the latter half of the week.

B. F. KEITH THEATRE

One of the breeziest of monologs is that being given this week by Frances Kennedy at the B. F. Keith theatre. Her description of a bridge whist party is nothing if not entertaining, while he comments on the guests are always of the keenest.

The only bunch of Scottish lassies on any stage who love to jazz their music are contained in McKay's Scotch Revue, which is one of the week's features. The skirl of the pipes in the finale fits in well with the very latest ideas of jazz music.

And then there is George Rolland with his company in "Fixing the Furnace." This is one of the standard acts. Leon Varvara, pianist, does some specially good work, and Gordon & Day exemplify the tramp and the cyclist. Other acts are the Francetti Sisters, in pedestal work, and Ensign & Kerr in a skit.

THE OWL THEATRE

A real novelty in features is offered in "Sky Eye," the sensational aerial picture produced with the co-operation of the United States army air service, one of the headliners on today's bill at the Owl theatre. The audience will see many celebrities of the aerial world cavorting on the screen in some of the most thrilling stunts ever seen. In addition to an all-star supporting cast, Lieut. Russell J. Hunt, U.S.A., R.M.F., risked his life in the part of "Sky Eye." The same is true of Lieut. C. C. Nutt as Lieut. Fordyce. Another celebrated personage to appear is Harold J. Peterson recently captured and held for ransome by Mexican bandits. Lt. Hunt performs some of the most thrilling stunts ever shown in an aeroplane. One of the stunts that will make any audience gasp, is jumping from plane to plane in mid air. Another is the leap from the flying machine to the train traveling at 70 miles an hour. The fight in mid-air and a parachute drop of 2000 feet are a few of the situations depicted in this up-to-the-minute romance of the air. In the second feature, "The Volcano," starring Leah Baird from the stage play of the same name by Augustus Thomas, we meet an unusual celebrity. Mr. William H. Gibson, who has been an indefatigable worker in the interest of the men who have lost a leg or an arm in the service. Mr. Gibson was a famous vaudeville dancer when an accident deprived him of his right foot. He bought a wooden leg and spent four years learning to dance with it. In "The Volcano," the wooden footed actor gives a remarkable exhibition of dancing. Third feature, Harold Lloyd in his latest comedy production, "Capt. Kidd's Kids." Madame Ayer, the well known soloist, the added attraction, will offer some new songs. The performances are continuous, starting at 1 p. m. daily. Night patrons arriving before 7.45 will see entire bill.

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"Checkers"
The Play That Thrilled Two Continents on the Legitimate Stage
Other Attractions
VIOLA DANA
—IN—
"Please Get Married"
Episode 8 of "The Lion Man"

CROWN THEATRE
—TONIGHT—
BIG STARS SHOW
Dustin Farnum
—IN—
"CAPTAIN COURTESY"
Picture Full of Action
ALICE BRADY
—IN—
"MARIE, LTD."
—OTHERS—

OWL THEATRE
LEAH BAIRD
In THE VOLCANO
SEVEN PARTS
From the stage play of the same name.
By AUGUSTUS THOMAS.
Lieut. Russell Hunt
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A cyclonic air romance of death defying escapades
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MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage intentions have been filed recently at the office of the city clerk:

Bernard Speechaert, Newmarket, N. H., 52, weaver; Margaret Horan, 225 Moody, 39, bookbinder.

Emile J. Paquette, 179 Ennell, 24, mule spinner; Eva Decosse, 130 Coburn, 22, hosiery.

Albert Dyment, 20 Chelmsford, 21, electrician's helper; Ruth Dyment, 156 Appleton, 20, clerk.

Edward L. Thurber, 215 Lakeview ave., 32, woolen weaver; Marie J. Dube, 219 East Merrimack, 25, woolen weaver.

George G. Merrill, 18 Parker, 21, machinist's helper, Annette L. Carpenter, 18 Parker, 19, Gillespie Mfg. Co.

Narcisse A. M. Beaulier, 610 Merrimack, 29, machine shop; Almeda M. Goyette, Dracut, 23, mill operative.

Alphonse Larochelle, 107 Cushing, 26, mechanic; Marie B. St. Overs, 315 Moody, 21, operative.

Charles L. Turner, Ellis, Kan., 24, farmer; Della Wynne, 53 Church, 24, operative.

George F. Toyé, 272 Merrimack, 37, lawyer; Ella M. Reilly, 65 Tenth, 33, music teacher.

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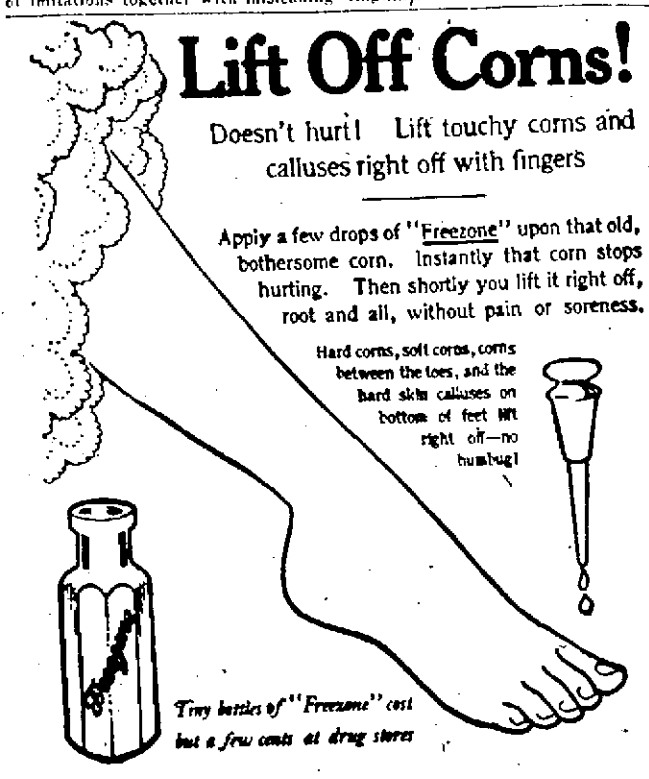

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RETURNS GOOD FOR EVIL

Recalcitrant's Wife To Show Dead the Full Measure of Real Love

(N.E.A. Staff Special)

CHICAGO, March 17.—Captain Clifford M. Bleyer's crime of disloyalty to his wife and two little daughters is to be repaid him in death—strangely. By good for evil.

Wife and kiddies were cast aside for a porters-divorcee of cafe notoriety—whose climactic act to an illicit love for a man she stole was to murder him and kill herself.

Death was his penalty. And now Mrs. Bleyer, humbled and heartbroken, is going to show the dead recalcitrant the full measure of real love—mercy.

She humbled her pride and was a witness Tuesday (March 16), to help

Top to bottom: Clifford M. Bleyer; and Paulette and Jacqueline Bleyer; Mrs. Blyer; Ruth ("Kitten") Randall.

the authorities establish that Ruth Randall murdered Bleyer as a prelude to suicide.

Mother's Sacrifice For Tots

It's for the sake of little Paulette and Jacqueline Bleyer. They can't understand this ghastly thing that has happened to their daddy. But they will sometime. And the mother wants to save what few shreds are left of their dead father's name. She wants to prove that he, at least, was not a murderer and a suicide—but was the victim of a woman, in life called "Kitten," in death a tigress.

Bleyer, army captain, wealthy adventuring man, was shot while he slept in the Randall woman's apartment last Sunday. Her dead body was found beside him, a pistol pointing toward her head.

This tragic discovery and later developments revealed to Mrs. Bleyer the whole story of her husband's three years' unfaithfulness.

In her blind confidence she had worried over his absence from home for two days and had asked the police to hunt him.

Love For Children Wins

Embittered by his crime of disloyalty she first refused to have his body brought home where two little girls talked of daddy and wrote him letters, sending him "many, many kisses."

But the mother-love won, and now the man who gave her evil in counterfeit of love may come home—to be buried.

Meanwhile morbid people discuss the tragedy—especially this death poem "Kitten" Randall left behind:

Sleep, my beloved, sleep!
Be patient! We shall keep
Your secret closely hid
Beneath the coffin lid.

Slowly, for my hand is sure
The cold steel bright and pure
Strikes through thy heart and veins,
Shedding our blood like wine.

The coffin lid does not hide their secret, nor smother the tragedy's pollution. It spreads it broadcast and draws shocked eyes to this pathetic little letter:

Dearest daddy
yesterday we had a lovely time
grandpa got dolls and candy and lunch and little play flower pots too, we went to the movies and we are going today too, he got jocqueline a doll with a print dress and mo one in blue I am much satisfied with it—and so is Jacqueline
We are going to see WM S hart in branding broadway
monny monny
kisses Paulette.

It was the last letter of love Bleyer got from one of his little girls. It came the day before he died. Cast aside, it lay among the diaries and letters in the Randall woman's apartment, telling of her scarlet past.

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LITTLE CHATS WITH HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS

By LEWETTE B. POLLOCK

(Teacher of English in East Technical High School, Cleveland, Ohio)

It's a queer sort of message I have for my high school girls today.

It's just this: Don't let the thrill go out of your life by growing up too soon!

As I say it, I have in mind two girls, each of whom graduated from high school and went to a coeducational university.

Number one (we'll call her Alice) had attended a large high school for girls, and had enjoyed to the full its four years of play and work among girls, and of intimate association with the splendid women of the faculty.

Her first chance was a high school graduation affair—and she didn't know a single boy to invite to it!

She finally asked a cousin, however, so the day was saved.

Then she entered college. Parties and dances were to her thrilling affairs, opening up a whole new vista of life. The keen zest of competition with men in classes and in outside activities gave to this new period of her career a pleasant novelty. Never for a minute of the four years was she bored. Each year seemed fuller and more wonderful than the last. Each social affair was something to be looked forward to.

Girl number two had attended a coeducational high school in a small town. She had put up her hair in her freshman year, and attended dances with boys as a sophomore. As a junior and senior she was so "popular" (with the boys) that it was not uncommon for her to go to three dances or parties in one week. Somehow or other she slipped through her studies and entered college.

And there how bored she was! College life had not for her the thrill that it held for Alice. Parties and dances were nothing *new*. She found men somewhat uninteresting. They were "all alike" to her!

She had all these things just about three years too soon, and now she was —blase, as the French call it.

If you attend a coeducational high school, look around you, and watch for the fine-spirited girl who is too good a friend to girls to give up many of her evenings to social affairs with boys, and whose parents allow her a minimum of such diversions.

Now compare her with the "grown-uppish" girl with her young lady dress and manners.

The latter may seem charming, but just think how she's cheating herself out of her little girlhood. And she can never get it back again. While she has all the rest of her life for the other kind of thing!

Maybe your mother has told you something like this, and you haven't listened.

Will you—now?

Please do! And don't—don't—grow up too soon!

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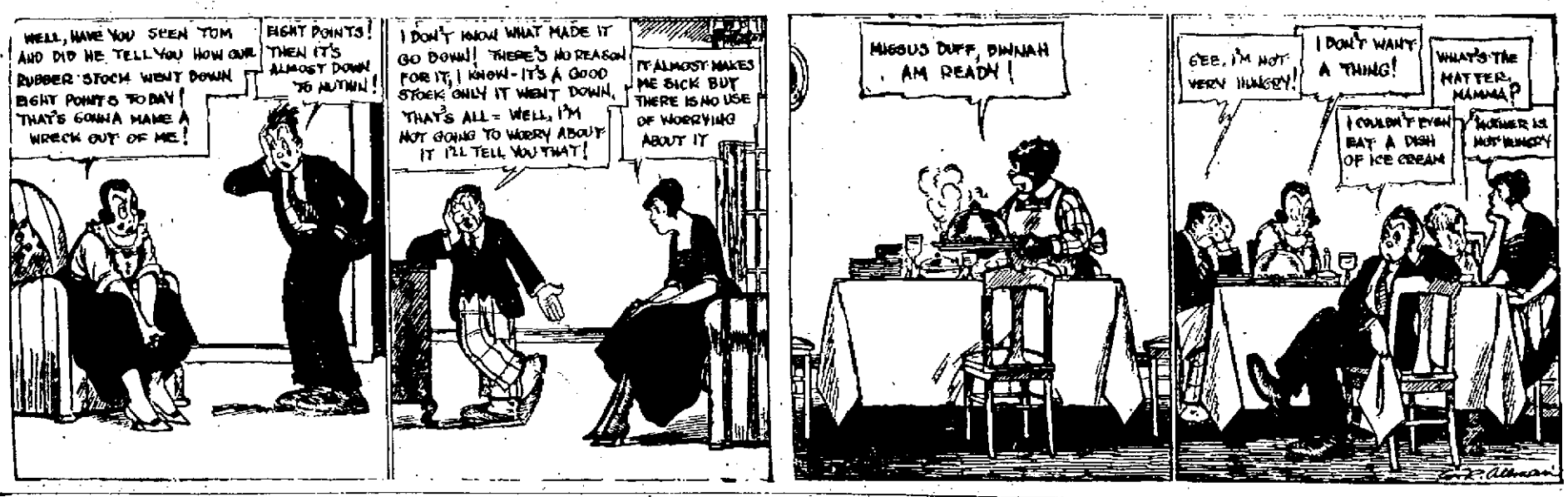
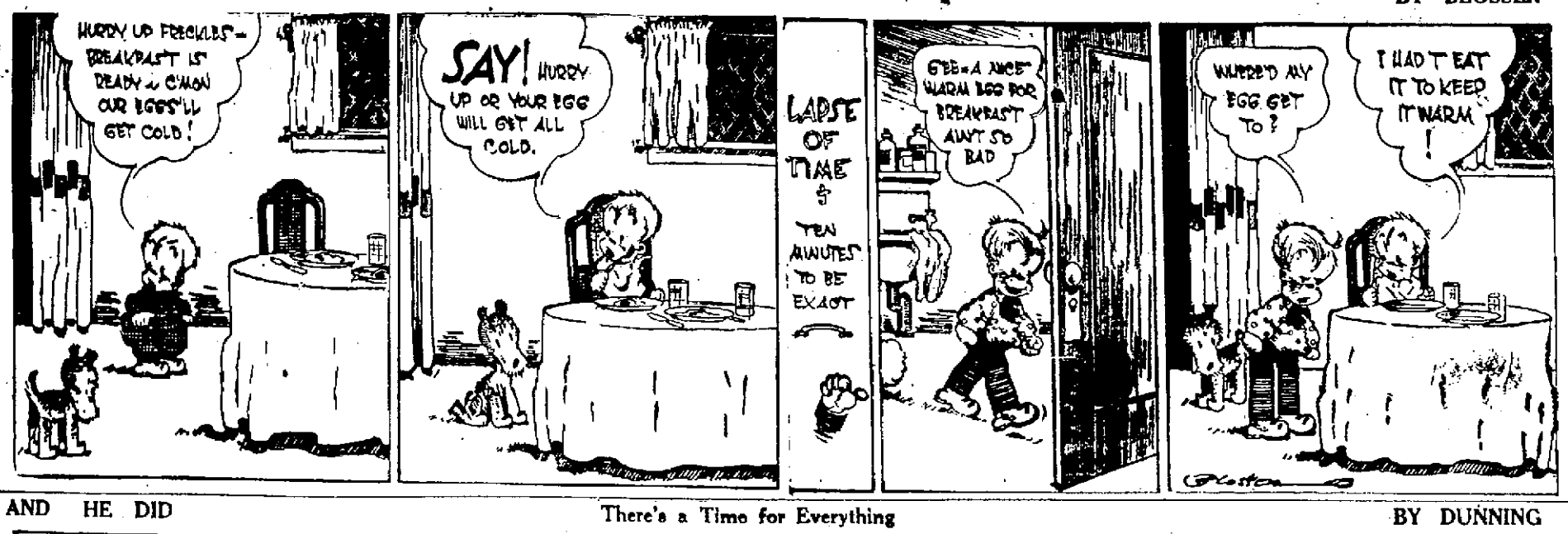
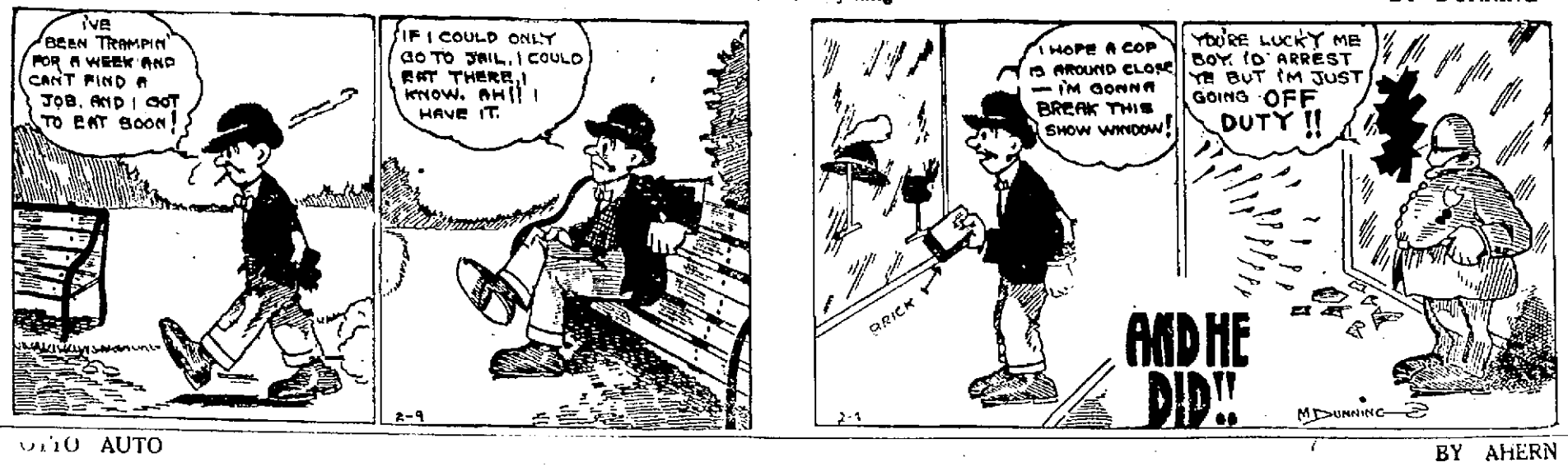
DOINGS OF THE DUFFS — Their Appetites Drop Off With the Market — BY ALLMAN



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS — Freckles Poked Around a Little Too Long — BY BLOSSER



AND HE DID — There's a Time for Everything — BY DUNNING



OTTO AUTO — BY AHERN

Readin' and Writin' and 'Rithmetic Tiniest Broadway Star Busy in Her Hours Off Stage

Lillian is very fond of her doll co-actress, Petunia

NEW YORK, March 18.—The tiniest star on Broadway is also the busiest, by her own admission.

Lillian Roth is 8 years old. In Henry Savage's latest production, "Shavings," she plays a part so important, in the opinion of critics, that almost any grown-up star, whose name is blazoned in electric lights, might well envy her.

Lillian affirms she is the busiest girl in the world, and backs up her sweeping statement with what appear to be most convincing facts.

So Much Work to Do

"You see," says Lillian, as she deftly applies a touch of cosmetics to the face of her best-beloved doll, Petunia, who also figures in "Shavings," "grown-up actresses don't have to work and everything when they are off stage. But I do. Have to go to school, and do home work, and take lessons on the piano and ukelele."

A program of her day entails going to the professional children's school—which is solely for stage children—and studying writing, reading, spelling, geography, arithmetic, diction, French and singing.

No Love for Division

"I love my teachers," says the little star. "But they're pretty hard. In regular schools, kids only have to study reading and writing and arithmetic, don't they? I wouldn't mind that—only the arithmetic. I think that's awful. I'm on cancellation and long division now and they're dreadful things to think about."

But even the busiest girl in New York admits she has a lot of fun. For instance, there is the hour every day she spends in Central Park, shovelling snow, roller skating and talking to the "cop."

A Roller Skate Race

"I've got a regular cave-home for Petunia," says Lillian. "It's built in a snow bank, and the sun hasn't been warm enough so far to melt it. I have a lot of fun with Petunia, but I love roller skates. I go everywhere on them, in the park and to the library, shopping and to the theatre at night. Mother takes me to the theatre an hour early every night so I can play awhile before I go on. I run her a race on the way, and beat her, because I can go faster on my roller skates than she can, walking."

Lillian's dressing room, by the way, is considered a most wonderful place, thanks to Colonel Henry Savage. It was arranged especially for her, and has room for seven dolls and a doll carriage—which may explain her insistence upon the hour of play before her three hours of work every night.

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DISORDER AT LA PAZ

Bolivian Government Expresses Regret For Attack on Peruvian Legation

LIMA, Peru, March 18.—The aide-de-camp of President Guerar of Bolivia called at the Peruvian legation at La Paz yesterday and expressed the Bolivian government's regret for the attack on the legation last Sunday night, according to official advices received here today. Following the receipt of this information, Foreign Minister Porras forwarded a note to La Paz, asking for material reparation for the loss incurred and the arrest of officials involved in the demonstration.

Detailed reports of the incident indicate that many Peruvian commercial houses were looted during the disorder at La Paz and confirmation has been received of the report that the office of the newspaper La Razon was destroyed.

A small crowd attacked the Bolivian mission here this morning, but was driven off by the troops on guard before any damage was done. The prefect of Lima immediately called at the legation and expressed regrets for the incident.

THEIR ANNUAL CONCERT AND DANCE

Some of Lowell's best talent contributed to the entertainment staged by the Burke Temperance Institute in Associate hall last evening. The affair was the annual concert and dance by the institute and as usual was attended by a goodly number of members and friends. The following took part in the concert: Martin Maguire, Commissioner James E. Donnelly, Miss Lauretta Fremont, William Mahoney and Charles Keyes.

The officers of the affair were: James Wynne, general manager; William Geary, assistant general manager; William Mahoney, floor director; Frank Donovan, assistant floor director, and members of the institute as aids.

RUNAWAY QUICKLY STOPPED

Considerable commotion and excitement was aroused in Merrimack square yesterday when the wheels of a wagon drawn by a horse owned by C. Coffin contractor and builder of this city, became lodged in the frog of a street car track. As the wagon became caught in the track the horse continued to pull and dragged the driver off his seat into the street. Fortunately the driver sustained nothing more serious than a slightly injured right knee. After making his gelaway the horse ran through the square until it reached Central street where it was stopped by Cornelius Desmond. The driver, assisted by Traffic Officer Connors and others, succeeded in dislodging the wagon from the tracks and then hitched up the horse and continued on his journey.

WHIST AND SMOKER

There was a large attendance at the whist and smoker conducted last evening by Industry council, R.A., in Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street. The program was under the direction of Charles Fox, chairman of the standing entertainment committee and it proved very enjoyable. Suitable prizes were awarded the winners and at the close of the card game entertainment numbers were given.

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ST. PATRICK'S DAY MINSTREL AND SOCIAL

A minstrel and social under the auspices of St. John's church marked the observance of the feast of St. Patrick in North Chelmsford last evening. The affair, which was in charge of Rev. Fr. Linehan, assisted by John McQuade, was conducted in the town hall in the North village and was largely attended. The program of the evening proved most enjoyable, while the receipts of the affair, which will be devoted to parish work, were very substantial.

Opening chorus; end song, "My Name is Kelly," John McQuade; solo, "Mother Machree," Miss Helen Quigley; Irish jig, Helena Conners; end song, "Won't You Bring Back?" Archie Boudreau; solo, Miss Loretta Barry; Irish reading, Helena Conners; solo, "Machusla," James McManus; end song, "All the Quakers," Richard Lyons; solo, "I'll Take You Back, Kathleen," Miss Esther Holloway; saxophone selection, John McCann; solo, Miss Theresa McCarron; end song, "The Irish Were Egyptians Long Ago," Leo Pope; solo, "Tumble Down Shack in Athlone," Henry Driscoll; Spanish dance, Helena Conners; specialty (comedy) Ed. Lucy; end song, "Come Over and Play Wiz Me," Bernard Pope; solo, Miss May Wynne; violin selection, Miss Ruth Ward; end song, "I Used to Call Her Baby," Francis O'Brien; grand finale, entire company.

A goodly sum was also realized by the Busy Bees, who, under the direction of Mrs. Arthur J. Rousseau, conducted a sale of useful and fancy articles in the lower town hall.

COMMUNICATIONS

To the Editor of The Sun:

Dear Sir—When a person is injured and receives compensation under the terms of the workmen's compensation act, what is the attitude of the authorities if the person in question dies before the full amount of compensation is paid? Do they pay the burial expenses or any part of them?

CONSTANT READER.

The industrial accident board assists in the burial expenses in such cases as the foregoing, but not to an amount exceeding $100. When such money is paid, it is taken out of the money that would otherwise go to the dependents of the deceased. Detailed information on this subject may be secured by writing to the Industrial Accident board, Room 272, State House, Boston.

BUYS PEVEY FOUNDRY

The Saco-Lowell Shop has purchased the plant of the Pevey Foundry, Inc. at 224 Walker street, to serve as an auxiliary to the Kitson Machine Shop. The Pevey Foundry Co. is one of the oldest in the city. It was established in 1871 and in 1907 was incorporated under the firm name of Pevey Foundry Co., Inc.

Boys Fight Fire in Industrial School

SHIRLEY, March 18.—The 250 inmates of the Industrial School for Boys were without a place to prepare their food today, as a result of a fire which destroyed the kitchen and the laundry. The blaze, which came in the early morning, was fought by the boys, the town fire department being unable to get apparatus over the snow-filled roads. The boys checked the flames after one of the dormitories was partly burned. The loss was about $10,000.

Sheriff Finds Jail Empty—Prisoners Flee

STEUBENVILLE, Ohio, March 18.—Sheriff W. T. Baker awoke this morning to find the county jail empty. Some time after midnight, the eight prisoners held on various charges sawed and cut their way to liberty. Searchers failed to find trace of them.

Great Indignation by Attack at La Paz

LA PAZ, March 15.—Great indignation has been caused here by an attack upon Col. Comes, of the Bolivian aviation service, by a party of 40 Peruvians. The colonel was attacked with stones and sticks and quite painfully injured, it is said.

Finnish Troops Forced To Flee

HELSINGFORS, March 18.—Finnish troops have been forced to evacuate their positions north of Lake Ladoga and retire northwestward in the diection of Porajaervi, according to an official statement by the Finnish general staff, which reports severe fighting with the Bolsheviki yesteday. The village of Sonjaervi is said to have been almost destroyed.

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Bear's Heart is Breaking As He Waits For His Soldier Pal

"Stanton," the big Cinnamon bear, waiting faithfully but in vain for the return of Joey, his soldier pal, who sleeps in Flanders Field

BY SERGEANT P. H. McGEE.

(Head of Mounted Police in Golden Gate Park, San Francisco, who has been friend and student of animals for 10 years.)

"No, you're not Joey. Have you seen Joey? Why doesn't he come back?"

If I know anything about bear talk and bear emotions, this is what Stanton, the big Cinnamon, says to every stranger who stops before the cage. Always Stanton greets them with the same inquiring expression, the same look of disappointed expectation the same shrug of forlorn resignation.

More than two years now Stanton has waited for the return of his friend, Joey, the soldier boy who brought to us his little cub pet before he went to France. For months we have known that Joey will never return, that he now lies buried somewhere in the Argonne.

But we can't tell Stanton; we can't speak his language. So he never loses hope. From dawn until dark he paces his paddock alone, for he will make friends with none. He awaits Joey, his companion who will take him back to the mountains whence they both came.

When Joey brought Stanton to us he wore his new soldier's uniform. He gulped and whispered things into Stanton's shaggy ear—things about the hills and forests of Northern California where they would return after the big job was finished. And Stanton seemed to understand.

Climbing the tallest tree in his runway, the bear watched his friend depart, and every day for weeks thereafter he maintained his post at the tree top. He's now grown too big to climb the tree, but the faithful watch continues.

Always the same little sniff of half fearful hope, then the same little droop of bitter disappointment. Stanton's wistful loyalty is one of the most pathetic cases that have come under my observation in many years spent among animals. For Joey will never return.

NEAR EAST CONDITIONS

Described in Moving Picture Shown at Keith's Theatre Yesterday

"Out of the Garden of Eden," a moving picture produced under the direction of the Hoover commission to show conditions now existing in the Near East, was presented yesterday afternoon at Keith's theatre from 5 to 6 o'clock to arouse interest in the Near East relief movement. The showing was private, but there was a large attendance. It was staged under the auspices of the Massachusetts committee on Near East relief of which Hon. Augustus Loring is state chairman, Rev. William P. English, Jr., of this city, executive secretary, and Mayor Perry D. Thompson, chairman for Lowell.

The pictures were explained by Rev. Mr. English and they gave a detailed idea of the suffering of the peoples in the Russian Caucasus. The opening scenes showed peaceful villages lying around Mt. Ararat and brought out the beauty of the homeland of the oldest Christian nation in the world, the Armenians.

The small Armenian army that defended its country from the Turks, even after being deserted by the Russians was also shown and the crude devices by which the gallant fighters kept their supply department in operation showed the handicaps under which they fought.

There followed scenes of suffering among the civilians, one of them showing women searching in the streets for a few seeds of grain from which to pound flour.

The more inspiring scenes were those showing the excellent relief work being done by the American Near East relief committee, the unloading of vast supplies of food, its distribution to the outlying sections and the joy it brought to those who had been suffering for months. Scenes in the hospitals established by the relief committee were also most interesting. Some of the 40,000 waifs who are being taken care of by the relief committee were shown at play.

An outstanding feature of the pictures was the inevitable smile on the faces of the sufferers. No matter how sad their plight they were ready to smile when the camera-man made his visit.

The pictures were shown to arouse an interest in the relief work of the Near East committee and an active campaign will be staged here later. The commission has prepared a table showing how much is necessary to keep an orphan for one month. Five dollars a month provides food for one orphan; $10, food, clothes and shelter, and $15, food, clothes, shelter and school.

INVESTIGATE FIRE HAZARD IN LOWELL

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, March 18.—Rep. Henry Achin, Jr., has filed in the house, on behalf of the committee on rules, a favorable report on the order introduced by Senator Frank H. Putnam, asking that the state fire marshall be directed to investigate the fire hazard in Lowell, particularly in the Highlands district, and to report to the municipal council not later than May 15 of this year.

The committee on counties filed a favorable report on the bill of Dist-Atty. Nathan A. Tufts, provising that he may appoint an additional assistant.

The public service committee filed a favorable report on a bill to increase the salaries of janitors of the state textile schools. The bill reported establishes a salary of $1000 for the first year of service; $1200 for the next two years; $1300 for the next two, and $1400 after five years. HOYT.

UNITED STATES LEADS

Building More Warship Tonnage Than Any Other Nation, Say Naval Experts

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The United States, American naval experts say, is building more warship tonnage than any other nation.

Twelve superdreadnaughts and six great battle cruisers, aggregating 665,400 tons, are under construction in private and navy yards. They will carry a total of 152 16-inch and 24 14-inch rifles and all will have the new electric drive engines.

With the completion of this fleet, probably in 1923, the United States will have a battle force of 19 superdreadnaughts and six battle cruisers in the first line and eight dreadnaughts and a number of smaller battleships in the second line.

American naval men say that among the world's fighting craft the six battle cruisers and six of the new battleships—the South Dakota, Montana, North Carolina, Massachusetts, Indiana and Iowa—will be in a class by themselves. The cruisers will have a speed of about 33 knots—37 land miles—and each will carry eight 16-inch guns. They will be 874 feet long overall; 90 feet wide, will displace 33,500 tons, and have 180,000 horse power.

The six superdreadnaughts will be even more powerful, each mounting in its main battery, 12 16-inch rifles. They will be 684 feet long; 105 feet broad and displace 43,200 tons. Their speed will be 23 knots and horse power 60,000.

These ships and the battles cruisers are just now being gotten under way but most of the other six battleships are well on the road to completion. The Maryland, to be launched at Newport News Saturday, and the Colorado, Washington and West Virginia will carry eight 16-inch rifles each, will be 624 feet long, 93 feet beam, and displace 32,600 tons. Their speed will be 21 knots and horse power 30,000.

The Tennessee, to be commissioned in May and the California, will carry 12 14-inch rifles and will be 624 feet long, 97 feet broad, and displace 32,000 tons. Their speed also will be 21 knots and their horse power 28,500.

In addition to these 18 capital ships, the navy is building a number of destroyers, submarines and auxiliaries, and while no new construction is likely to be authorized this year, congress is expected in another year to provide for at least one and perhaps more capital ships as well as for a number of smaller vessels, including flotilla leaders, scout cruisers and submarines.

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Doubtless if you are a sufferer from indigestion, you have already tried pepsin, bismuth, soda, charcoal, drugs and various digestive aids and you know these things will not cure your trouble—in some cases do not even give relief.

But before giving up hope and deciding you are a chronic dyspeptic just try the effect of a little bisurated magnesia—not the ordinary commercial carbonate, citrate, oxide or milk, but the pure bisurated magnesia which you can obtain from practically any druggist in either powdered or tablet form.

Take a teaspoonful of the powder or two compressed tablets with a little water after your next meal, and see what a difference this makes. It will instantly neutralize the dangerous, harmful acid in the stomach which now causes your food to ferment and sour, making gas, wind, flatulence, heartburn and the bloated or heavy, lumpy feeling that seems to follow most everything you eat.

You will find that provided you take a little bisurated magnesia immediately after a meal, you can eat almost anything and enjoy it without any danger of pain or discomfort to follow and moreover, the continued use of bisurated magnesia cannot injure the stomach in any way so long as there are any symptoms of acid indigestion. —Adv.

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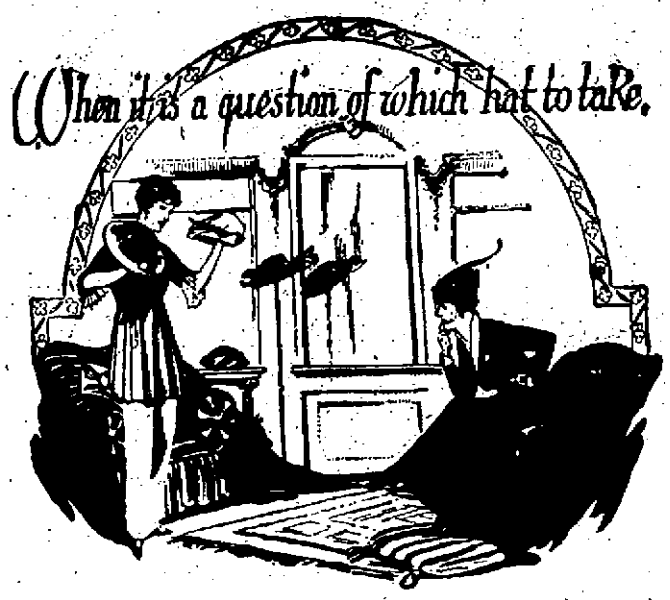

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MINSTREL SHOW BY M.T.I. OF NORTH BILLERICA IN TALBOT MEMORIAL HALL

Thomas Talbot Memorial hall in North Billerica was last evening the scene of a pretty gathering, the occasion being an Irish minstrelsy given under the auspices of the Father Mathew Total Abstinence society in observance of St. Patrick's day. The entertainment was given under the supervision of John T. Fairbrother, assisted by Miss Agnes Lyons. William S. Taylor acted the part of interlocutor, while the ends were Miss Lillian Barton, Miss Helen Roach, Richard Condon and Raymond Morris. Carroll J. Delehanty was stage director.

The program was as follows:

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Grand Irish overture.

Introducing: Sons of Ireland, Let Erin Remember, The Harp That Once Thro' Tara's Hall, The Minstrel Boy, Come Back to Erin and Te Erin's Isle.

End song, My Name is Kelley.
Miss Lillian Barton

Ballad, When Irish Eyes Are Smiling.
Miss Madeline O'Loughlin

Ballad, Let's Help the Irish Now.
Miss Lena Carrigan

End song, I'm Going to Take the Next Boat Back to Ireland.
Raymond Morris

Ballad, Boy of Mine.
Miss Catherine Monahan

Dane, Sailor's hornpipe.
"Baby" Margaret Mooney

Ballad, Every Tear is a Smile.
Mrs. Mary Heyward

Ballad, Let the Rest of the World Go By ..... Miss Sadie Hudson

End song, Hippity Hop.
Miss Helen Roach

Song, You'd be Surprised.
Master Bernard Knoff

Irish dances ..... Miss Doris Conley

Ballad, I Love You Just the Same Sweet Adeline.
Mr. Charles E. Fairbrother

End song, The Irish Were Egyptians Long Ago.
Mr. Richard F. Condon

Finale, Since Home Rule's Come to Ireland.
Entire Chorus.

Pianist, Miss Theresa Lyons; musical director, Mr. John F. Fairbrother; interlocutor, Mr. William S. Taylor; stage director, Mr. Carroll Delehanty.

Committee in charge: President Charles S. Lyons, general manager; Vice President John Maxwell, assistant general manager; John R. Kiggins, treasurer; Thomas Higgins, floor director; Richard Condon, Thomas Sheridan, Francis McNulty, William S. Taylor, John S. Welsh, Louis Mahoney, Arthur Gannon, John Hayes, J. F. Mullin, John Trainor, Joseph Kearney, Carroll Delehanty.

Chorus: Lillian Barton, Sadie Hudson, Catherine Monahan, Lena Carrigan, May Hayes, Frances Carlson, Josephine Robinson, Elizabeth O'Brien, Isabelle Mahoney, Anna Hayes, Helen Hayes, Theresa Sheehan, Vera Brick, Theresa Brick, Katherine Brick, May Fitzgerald, Katherine Fitzgerald, Minnie Concannon, Mary Martin, Dorris Conley, Madeline O'Loughlin, May Collins, Madeline Armstrong, Mrs. Mina Prevy, Mrs. Mary Heyward and "Baby" Margaret Mooney. William Condon, Bart Hayes, Joseph O'Brien, Howard Conway, Harry Collinge, Edward Hennessy, Francis McNulty, Edward Gannon, Edward Mahoney, Charles Buckley, John Maxwell, Thomas Higgins, Leo Desmond, William Mullin, Anthony Mullin, Anthony O'Brien, Francis Collins, James Duffy, Charles Mahoney, Willis LeLacheur, Thomas Barton, Edward Barton, Louis Mahoney, Richard Condon, Raymond Morris, Charles Fairbrother, Harry Condon, Joseph Collins, Francis Lyons, Edward Collins, Augustine Condon, Master Bernard Knoff.

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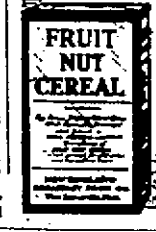

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Arrested on Suspicion of Having Been Implicated in Death of Moore

LAWRENCE, March 18.—Mrs. Sarah Rooney, arrested here yesterday on suspicion that she may have been implicated in the death of Robert C. Moore of Greenville Junction, Me., with whose murder William C. Pomeroy, said to have passed as husband of Mrs. Rooney, is charged, was arraigned in the district court today on a charge of being a fugitive from justice. She pleaded not guilty and was ordered held under $1000 for a preliminary hearing tomorrow.

The local police received word from Dover, Me., officials to hold Mrs. Rooney until authorities from Maine arrive.

DOVER, Me., March 18.—A detective who has been investigating the murder of Robert C. Moore at Greenville Junction was on his way to Massachusetts today to interview Mrs. Sadie Rooney, who was arrested at Lawrence at the request of the Maine authorities.

It was not understood here that she was implicated in the murder, but the officials desired to question her in reference to the charge that William Pomeroy under arrest here with Jesse D. Scott, murdered Moore with robbery as a motive.

Martin L. Durgin, retained by Scott, had a long interview today with his client. Deputy Sheriff Adelbert Rogers of Greenville has been here since yesterday but it was not known whether he had talked with Scott.

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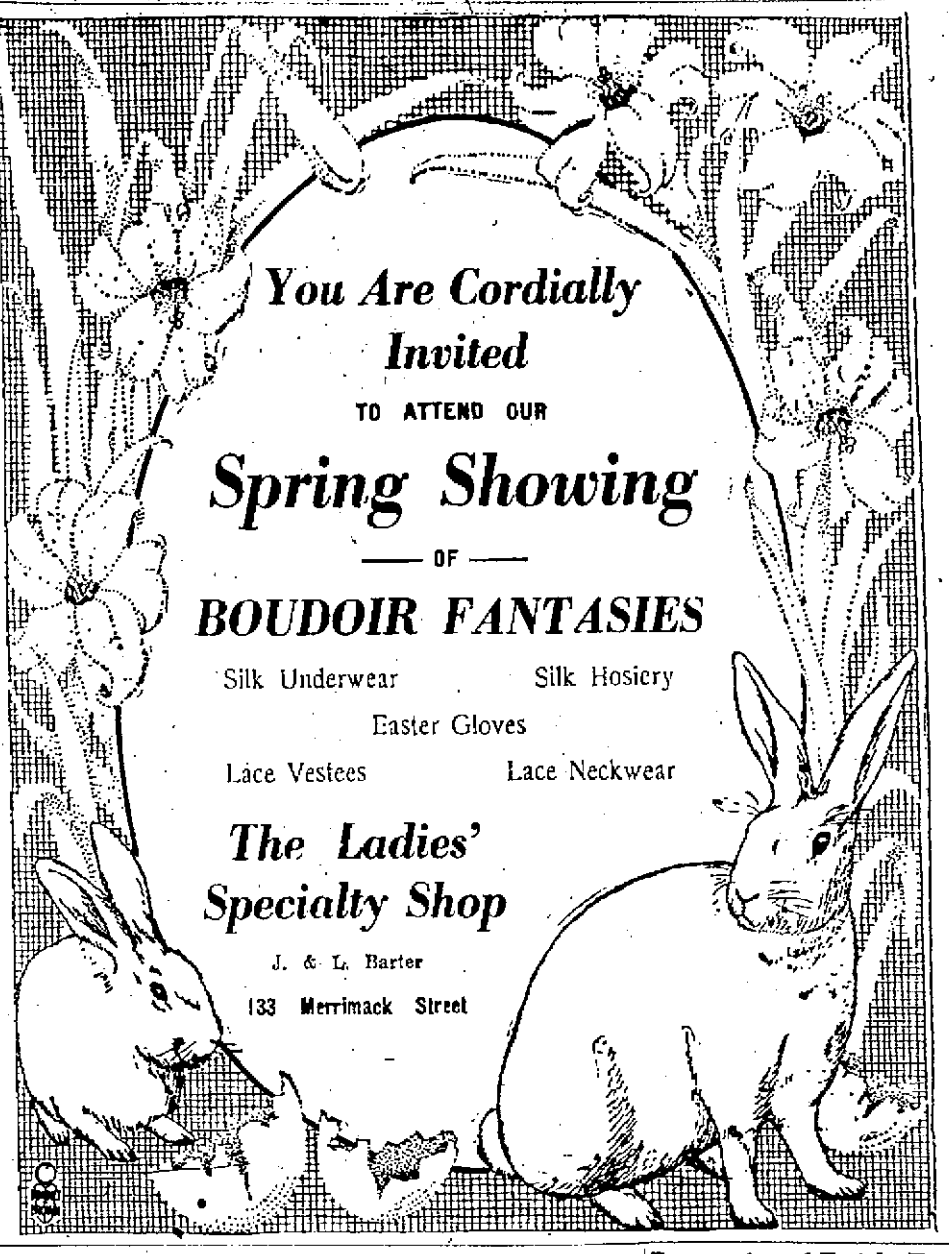
TAKING THE JOY OUT OF LIFE

Four laborers and one teamster of the street department will have to sever their connections with the department next Saturday, according to Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy, because of a ruling of the civil service commission that they have not been legally employed. Mr. Murphy says that the teamster in question has been in the department for the past 11 months and had also been employed there before the war. However, he has no alternative but to discharge the men on Saturday.



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DAD'S "BOARD OF CENSORS" KEEPS HIS SHOWS CLEAN

BY JIM MARSHALL
N.E.A. Staff Correspondence

SPOKANE, Wash., March 18.—Back stage at the Hippodrome theatre here is this sign: "No hells or damns allowed on this stage."

The youngest board of censors in the world has banned that kind of language.

"Doc" C. S. Crews, operating Loew circuit houses in the northwest including the Hippodrome, is the man who has solved the censorship problem.

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Board members number seven—four boys and three girls. To them Crews answers to the name of "Dad."

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Resumption of Freight Traffic

Continued

and clerks in shovelling out the rail highways. As a consequence, repair work lagged far behind and the road is just beginning to catch up with itself.

The New York, New Haven & Hartford road has not yet reached the point in its period of convalescence when it can pull down its embargoes or see normal conditions immediately ahead. The local freight office still reports a scarcity of empty cars, with only a fair supply for every-day needs. Embargoes are still on in relation to all shipments on steamship lines to New York, and by rail to Providence and Worcester.

The New Haven is dumping much more freight than usual at its Lowell terminal and will appreciate every effort on the part of local consignees to remove less than car load lots as quickly as possible. "We fully appreciate the co-operation already accorded us," said one official today, "but we urge all shippers and consignees to help us still more. The greater becomes the congestion in local houses, the slower becomes our progress in clearing up the business in the hope of a quick resumption of normal service."

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HAVE YOUR OLD CARPETS made into new rugs. Carpets and rugs cleaned. Prices reasonable. Economy Rug Works, 607 Middlesex st. 'Phone 853.

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UPHOLSTERING, furniture repairing. G. Gott, 384 Bridget st. Tel.

J. H. BOYLE, fire insurance and real estate. 64 Central st. Tel. 4267.

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To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.
6.20	6.40	2.45	3.33
6.23	7.26	6.00	7.08
6.44	7.30	7.35	8.26
6.51	8.32	ab8.21	9.37
b6.30	7.33	9.00	9.39
6.57	8.00	10.00	10.33
7.56	8.37	11.30	12.09
9.01	9.43	12.30	1.11
10.05	11.06	h1.06	1.55
11.13	11.56	2.15	3.15
12.10	1.03	2.50	3.41
1.47	2.33	4.00	4.43
2.45	3.42	4.35	5.27
b3.30	4.12	5.00	6.13
4.00	4.45	b5.31	6.43
4.12	5.23	5.35	6.55
5.23	6.14	b5.50	7.13
5.30	6.43	6.14	7.23
b6.03	7.25	8.00	8.41
6.25	7.10	8.30	9.11
8.16	9.00	10.30	11.10
9.55	10.41	11.30	12.35

Portland Division

To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.
6.33	7.38	z6.35	8.21
10.38	11.03	10.35	11.58
3.14pm	6.45	3.25	4.46
7.13	8.25	5.14	6.13
9.50	11.01	6.55	8.18
		9.53	11.13

Sunday Trains
Portland Division

12.07	1.20	3.29	4.43
3.40	4.46	5.10	6.43
6.41	7.10	8.43	9.53
8.55	10.08		

Sunday Trains
Southern Division

6.44	7.30	8.45	9.31
6.51	7.38	9.30	10.09
3.25	9.33	11.30	12.09
9.19	10.12	1.00	2.04
10.20	11.12	3.30	4.24
2.32	3.33	7.15	8.05
5.08	6.00	8.00	8.41
6.34	7.20	8.30	9.11
8.16	9.00	9.15	10.33
8.50	10.00	10.38	11.48
9.55	10.45		

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SAYS WOOD MEN USED STRONG-ARM TACTICS

DETROIT, Mich., March 18.—The Minnesota republican primary was characterized as a "pretense" and the "first strong-arm tactics of the 1920 campaign," by Senator Hiram W. Johnson, in a signed statement issued here today. He charged that "the republican state machine is in absolute control" of affairs in Minnesota.

"This machine," the statement declares, "has been conducting the Wood campaign."

Although the state's presidential preference primary law has been repealed, Senator Johnson said, "the republican organization in Minnesota called what it termed a primary, with a preferential one-hour vote for president."

"When recently I was in Minnesota, I demanded a half day in which voters might express themselves. Following this Hoover and Lowden forces made a similar demand. Of course, the machine, contemplating a mere fake primary, which might be used to influence other states, paid no attention to our demand."

TRIAL OF ALLEGED DRAFT EVADER ENDS

NEW YORK, March 18.—Court-martial on Governors Island of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, wealthy Philadelphian, charged with desertion in evading the draft, ended abruptly yesterday when his counsel announced no defense would be offered because they believed the government had failed to establish its case. Official publication of the verdict is expected within a week.

Capt. Bruce R. Campbell, military counsel for Bergdoll, last night said the procedure of the court indicated Bergdoll had been found guilty. After both sides had rested the room was cleared and 20 minutes later Col. William H. Allaire, president of the court, summoned Bergdoll, whose record was read, showing that he had had no previous conviction. Capt. Campbell said this is customary in cases where enlisted men have been found guilty.

Maj. Gen. Robert Lee Bullard or his assignee will review the record before the verdict is announced. Under military law Bergdoll, if convicted, may appeal to President Wilson.

The judge advocate in his argument asked for a sentence of 30 years.

VALUABLE HORSE KILLED

A valuable black horse owned by Joseph Hill of 31 Canton street, and a pet of the Hill family for years, stepped into a cradle hole in Canton street yesterday afternoon and fractured its left foot. Dr. Eaton was called to treat the animal and he in turn notified Officer Gilmore of the Humane society, who ended the horse's suffering with a bullet.

RUSH FOOD TO STARVING SOLDIERS

REVAL, March 18.—Trains of sledges are rushing foods from Helsingfors to Abo, 100 miles west, where exhausted and starving survivors of the central column of the north Russian army have just arrived. This column recently cut its way through the Bolshevik lines on the eastern Finnish frontier. Survivors will eventually be interned at Helsingfors, it is announced.

POPULATION STATISTICS

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Census population statistics for 1920 announced today by the census bureau include:

Port Jervis, N. Y., 10,171, an increase of 607, or 6.3 per cent over 1910.

Beacon, N. Y., 10,990, increase 367, or 3.5 per cent over 1910 combined populations of Fishkill Landing and Matteawan, which were incorporated as the city of Beacon, in 1913.

ATTRACTIVE WINDOWS AT THE BON MARCHE

A bit of June brought into March, best describes the spring opening window display of the Bon Marche Dry Goods company in Merrimack street which has just been completed for public delectation. Rarely has a display artist created so appealing a picture—or rather series of pictures—as now adorn the street front of the well known establishment.

The exhibition is divided into two parts—exhibition rooms, one might call them in the artist's vernacular, and although different colorings are employed, the same tone of lightness, reflective of the spirit of the spring season, predominates both. One is finished in light blue and the other in light green.

The entire effect of both windows, of course, serves to give background and atmosphere to new spring garments for women and girls. Fortunately, the decorator has avoided the common evil so notable in window dressing, overcrowding for the sake of showing as many styles as possible.

There are but three or four models in each window of the present exhibition and at no time does the observer feel any sense of being asked to take in a veritable host of gowns and garments as is ordinarily the case in such displays. The few models that are shown seem to be a natural part of the setting as a whole and in no way intrude on the beauty of the scene.

The first window, finished in light green, is a delightful fantasy in anticipation of spring. The background is of green and white with a border of several feet at the bottom giving substance to the lower half of the scene. Chandeliers, wrought out in the prevailing shades of green and white, suspend overhead and at either end wall-globes, illuminated, give an added touch of brightness. At night, especially, are the latter features very effective.

The other window is finished in the same general style, only in light blue instead of green. A bowl of pussy-willows, artistically touched with blue, is a feature of this window. The display as a whole is one of the prettiest shown in a Lowell window for some time.

Hair Often Ruined By Careless Washing

Soap should be used very carefully, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

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RUSHIN' THE SEASON AT ATLANTIC CITY

ATLANTIC CITY, March 18.—Spring is being ushered in a bit ahead of time on the board walk at Atlantic City. Wheel chairs are already doing business with customers clad in furs and winter coats. Above picture shows the season of 1920 getting under way.

Report Kapp Ended Life

Continued

troops have not as yet resumed full control, an attack by the reds is feared.

Throughout Germany radical elements haev in many places taken over direction of affairs, at least temporarily.

Dictatorships Set Up

Proletarian dictatorships have been set up at Dortmund, Gera, Halle, Ohligs, Unna and Gelsenkirchen, according to reports, while in Leipsic workers have driven government troops from teh suburbs of the city and were engaged late yesterday in street fighting. In the Rhenish and Westphalian industrial districts it is said the workers are ready to follow radical leaders.

Fighting Continues

AMSTERDAM, March 18.—Messages from Berlin state that the resignation of Chancellor Kapp resulted in the cessation of strikes in several places. Up to a late hour last night, however, according to Wolff bureau despatches, fighting was continuing at a number of points in Germany between various military forces on the one side and Spartacan and other armed workmen on the other.

In a number of towns in Westphalia the fighting resulted in the local militia disarming forces of workmen. Rostock, on the Baltic, is reported in rison having fled.

Crowds in Ugly Humor

PARIS, March 18.—Official advices from Berlin describing conditions there on Wednesday night said the public places of the city were filled with crowds in an ugly humor. The military appeared to be of a panicky disposition. Many of the Baltic troops, the advices added, had joined forces with the independent socialists, who were reported to have 12,000 armed men at their command.

Plan to Storm Berlin

BERLIN, March 17.—The railway and postal services will be resumed tomorrow, it was announced tonight.

Rumors have cropped up that armed communists are assembling to storm and occupy the public buildings of Berlin. The city tonight was again in absolute darkness.

REFUSED TO HANDLE CHINESE SECURITIES

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Chinese bond stothe value of 600,000 yen were taken by the Russian soviet agent, Maxim Litvinoff, to Copenhagen wehn he arrived there last November from Moscow to confer with James O'Grady, British representative, over the question of the repatriation of British prisoners of war in Russia.

Reports reaching officials here describe the vain attempts of Litvinoff to dispose of the bonds in Copenhagen. Danish banks with one accord, it was said, refused to handle the Chinese securities. The bonds are supposed to form a small portion of the foreign securities the Russian soviet government obtained from the nationalization of Russian banks.

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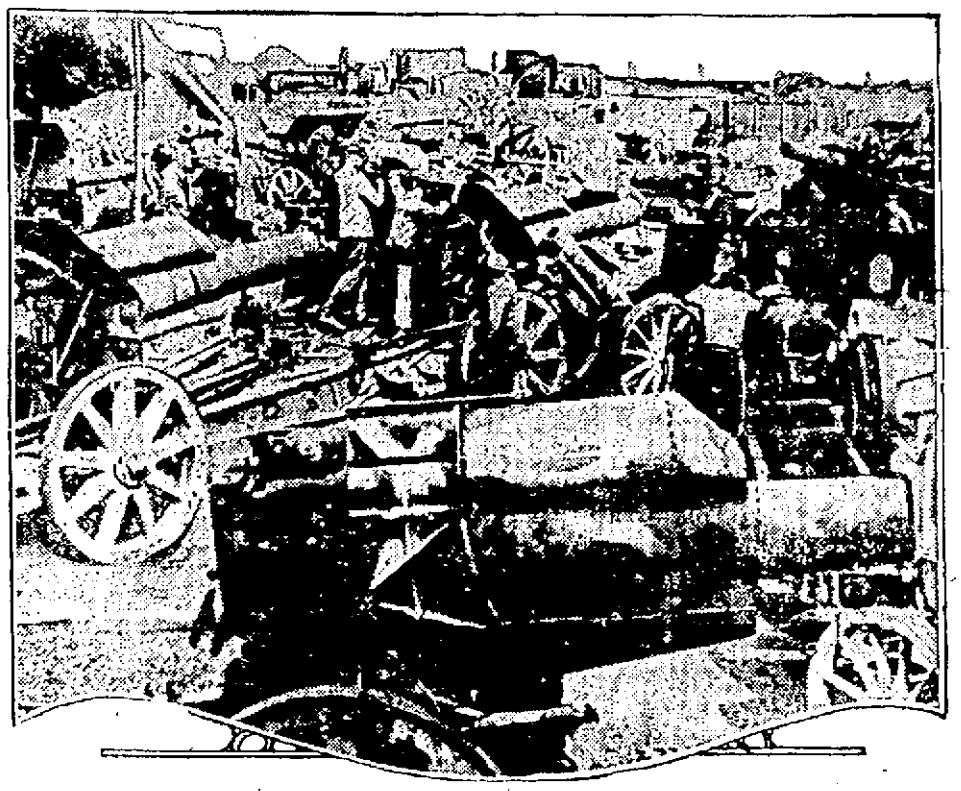

THESE GERMAN GUNS WON'T BARK IF WAR COMES

If civil war, or fighting with other nations, results from the present trouble in Germany, here are some big German guns which will not bark. Above picture shows cannon being di-mantled, at the Krupp factory in Germany, preparatory to using the metal for automobile making.

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Liquor Raids in New Bedford

NEW BEDFORD, March 18.—Four more arrests were made today by the 30 federal agents in charge of Supervisor William J. McCarthy, of the northern district, who last night started a raid on the hotels and saloons in this city who have been suspected of selling liquor. Two illicit stills were also seized, the total number arrested being 17 at 24 of the places raided by the agents.

All those held by the officers were arraigned late today before Alexander McL. Goodspeed, United States commissioner.

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200 Americans in Danger

WALSH SAYS HE'S NOT CANDIDATE

Junior Senator Calls Reports of Candidates For Delegates "Local Enthusiasm"

Movement To Have N. E. Delegates Stand by Walsh on Anti-Treaty Issue

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Senator Walsh of Massachusetts said today he was not a candidate for the democratic nomination for president. He characterized as "local enthusiasm"

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NO FRESHET SIGNS YET

Merrimack River Is About Normal For This Season of the Year

The Merrimack river was a fraction of a foot lower at the Pawtucket dam at 6.30 o'clock this morning that it was yesterday at the same hour. The height was measured at 88.17 feet today, against 88.60 yesterday. Today the water is standing five and one-half on the dam, which is between six and eight feet above moderate water, although not greatly in excess of the normal for this time of year.

The flashboards are gradually giving away under the strain, giving the appearance of a great volume of water in some places. Some ice above the dam has broken from the main sheet, but the real breaking up process has not begun.

Comparatively little water ran in the city today. Many places are bone dry, but even where snow and ice still remain, there was practically no melting going on.

COLBY APPEARS BEFORE SENATE COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Bainbrige Colby made an extended statement to the senate foreign relations committee today regarding the information on which the committee is delaying action on his confirmation as secretary of state.

Those present maintained the silence which has surrounded all the hearings on the subject but it was said the nominee would not be asked to appear again. The committee will meet tomorrow and some members expect that it may take final action then.

Mr. Colby declined to talk about the matters discussed.

"Nothing at all, gentlemen," he said to newspaper correspondents.

While Chairman Lodge and most of the other members refused to predict what might result from the nominee's statement, Senator Hitchcock said he considered Mr. Colby's statement a complete knockout for the opposition.

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Notice to Architects

The Greek Orthodox community of Lowell, Mass., is contemplating building a school building.

All architects wishing to submit competitive plans are asked to write to the secretary of the community before March 21, so that an appointment may be made for him to receive all requirements of the competition. Write to secretary of the Greek Orthodox community, Greek church, Lowell, Mass.

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53 CENTRAL STREET

EX-CZAR'S SISTER FOUND IN CAR

Grand Duchess Olga Located by American Red Cross Workers

One of Three Surviving Members of House of Romanoff Clad in Rags

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Grand Duchess Olga, sister of the late Czar Nicholas of Russia, has been found by American Red Cross workers living in a box car near Norvorossisk, south Russia, it was announced today at the headquarters of the American Red Cross here.

The grand duchess, according to the announcement, is one of three surviving members of the house of Romanoff. She was found "toiling among fellow refugees from the territory recently conquered by the Bolsheviki, giving such assistance as she could, although herself clad in rags and grateful for any food and clothing she could find."

DEPORTEES IN DISTRESS

Many Radicals Deported From U. S. Suffering Privations in Russia

MOSCOW, March 12.—Many radicals who were deported from the United States on the steamship Buford have been suffering privations since they arrived in Russia. They have failed to locate their relatives and have not secured employment as yet. Efforts are now being made by Alexander Berkman and Emma Goldman, leaders of the deportees, to form an organization which will give employment to members of the party who are in distress, and care for them pending permanent arrangements.

Headquarters of this organization will be established at Petrograd with a branch in Moscow and it is planned to give all deportees from the United States advantage of the facilities it offers.

WASHINGTON'S VIEW OF GERMAN SITUATION

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The collapse of the military revolution in Germany, in the opinion of officials here, has left the Ebert government with an even greater problem on its hands, that of controlling the workmen's movement started to checkmate the militarists.

Reports of the formation of soviets in a number of places have been received and while the exact extent of this movement is not known, some observers feel that the general strike may prove a double edge sword.

Official Washington is discussing how far the allies should go in lending moral support to the Ebert government at this time, and, because of the present state of the public mind, in pressing demands for the punishment of those guilty of war crimes and for indemnity for the destruction of the German fleet at Scapa Flow.

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RESERVATIONS ARE REJECTED

Senate Resumes Consideration of Treaty—Proposals by Reed Defeated

Final Vote on Ratification of Pact Seemed Probable Early Today

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Resuming consideration of pending reservations to the peace treaty, the senate soon after meeting today rejected, 48 to 27, a reservation presented by Senator Reed, democrat, Missouri, which would reserve to the United States for decision questions affecting "its national honor or its vital interests."

The senate then defeated another reservation by Senator Reed providing that the United States would refuse to assume any obligation to employ its military or naval forces, its resources or any form of economic discrimination under any article of the league covenant.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Final vote on ratification of the peace treaty seemed probable today. While plans were not being made for a showdown before tomorrow and perhaps not until Saturday, senate leaders were prepared to put the pact to a test immediately, if all the remaining reservations were disposed of before adjournment. A night session was regarded as likely in the event it seemed possibel to bring a conclusion to the famous controversy which has been before the senate many months.

The presence of William Jennings Bryan and his influence to persuade the democrats to accept the best compromise they could obtain on the reservations submitted by the republicans so that the treaty might be ratified before the presidential election, gave added uncertainty to the outcome of the ratification vote, despite the almost solid alignment of the minority yesterday against the Lenroot reservation to declare this country's policy toward future European wars.

About a dozen reservations remain to be acted upon, but all are concerned with minor questions unlikely to provoke much speechmaking. Debate has been limited by agreement to 15 minutes for each speaker on each reservation.

MAJOR DALRYMPLE IS RELIEVED OF POWER

CHICAGO, March 18.—Agents under Major A. V. Dalrymple, prohibition commissioner for the six central states, are relieved from all power except to locate contraband liquor, by an order issued by John F. Kramer, national prohibition supervisor, it was announced today.

Mr. Kramer directed that the prohibition sleuths should make no searches or seizures without the approval of the district attorney.

The new order is one result of Maj. Dalrymple's clash with federal and state authorities at Iron River, Mich., recently.

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SENSATION IN POLICE CIRCLES

Patrolman Testifies That Superintendent Refused "To Back Him" Up

In Prosecution of Man and Woman Charged With Statutory Offense

Case in Question Prosecuted in Police Court by Mayor Thompson's Secretary

The first installment of the case of George Macaronis and Minnie Katsuna, arrested about two weeks ago from a house in Salem street by Officers Cooney and Moore, on a statutory charge, was heard by Judge Enright in the municipal court today and promises to become one of the most sensational cases of the year.

A feature of this morning's testimony was the statement made by Officer Moore that Supt. Welch had

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CONSTANTINOPLE CALM

Second Day of Inter Allied Occupation—Turkish Police Aid in Keeping Order

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 17. (By Associated Press.)—The second day of the inter-allied occupation of Constantinople, carried out on Tuesday by large forces from the imposing war fleet in the Bosphorus, passed with entire calm, the Turkish police co-operating in keeping order. The ferry and telephone services have been resumed. Only small detachments of allied soldiers are visible in the streets and about the public buildings.

The French and the Italians had only small forces here and they are far less active than the British troops, which are excellently organized and took the city over with the precision of clockwork.

Among the prisoners taken were Essad Pasha, nationalist leader, and Mohammed Pasha, who was minister of war just before the great war opened, and has been the chief organizer of the propaganda for an American mandate.

The Turkish newspapers and the foreign office are so heavily censored that it is impossible to obtain the authoritative Turkish view of the situation. Turks with whom the correspondent spoke, however, were free in declaring their opinion that Constantinople was about to repeat the history of Cairo, that the British would remain in Turkey as they have done in Egypt. Meanwhile the French and English newspapers here are featuring Paris and London despatches which alleged the expectancy that the United States will assume responsibility in restoring order in the Near East.

The general opinion expressed among Americans here in touch with Near East conditions is that the occupation was prompted more largely by political than humane motives.

FINAL ARGUMENTS IN NEWBERRY CASE

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., March 18.—Last arguments in the Newberry elections conspiracy trial were delivered to the jury today by Frank C. Dailey, assistant attorney general.

Individual defendants among the 83 men on trial, were almost completely ignored in the government's final plea, the attack being upon what the assistant attorney general called the system. He mentioned by name only such campaign leaders as he deemed responsible for the plans which led to the admitted expenditure of $175,000 in 1918 senatorial campaign. He also accepted at every opportunity that under the combined state and federal statutes, the use of money was limited to $3750.

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Ebert Resumes Control But Faces Another Extreme Peril in Wave of Radicalism

Americans at Leipsic Appeal to Gen. Allen To Save Their Lives

COBLENZ, March 17—(By Associated Press).—Two hundred Americans who have been attending the fair at Leipsic have telegraphed and telephoned Major General H. T. Allen, commanding the American army of occupatio, urgently asking for help to leave Leipsic where they described conditions as dangerous to their lives. General Allen is sending a special train to bring the Americans away.

Firing is almost continuous in various parts of Leipsic and all the light and water services have been cut off, according to the Americans who are principally buyers from various parts of the United States.

General Allen has directed the German railway commission of the Rhineland provinces to prepare a train, which will be in charge of a detachment of American soldiers. The train will carry sufficient fuel for the journey both ways and food for several days for the guards and the returning Americans. The latter probably will be brought to Coblenz but may, if the majority of them desire, be taken to the Swiss frontier.

General Allen has received many messages of distress, indicating that the situation has grown considerably worse during the last 48 hours.

The train probably will start for Leipsic tomorrow. There has been some delay in getting a satisfactory train together, owing to the shortage of rolling stock.

$50,000 Fire Loss at Salem

SALEM, March 18.—The tannery of the Northeastern Leather Co. was damaged by fire today, with a loss of $50,000. The fire, which occurred during the lunch hour, was believed to have started either from a match dropped by a smoking employe or from a spark in the machinery.

URGES REDUCTION IN ARMY AND NAVY BILLS

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Pointing out that the army and navy appropriation bills now pending carry a total of $850,000,000, Representative Mondell, the republican leader, told the house today that no country had ever attempted in peace time to maintain a military establishment costing such a sum.

"Prussianism in its balmiest days never spent two-thirds of that sum," said he.

Chairman Kahn, of the military committee, said the high cost of the army was due largely to "larger pay for officers and men," by the United States as compared with foreign countries.

HEAVY TRADING IN SPECULATIVE ISSUES

NEW YORK, March 18.—Heavy trading in speculative issues in the stock market here today resulted in one of the busiest morning sessions in recent weeks, shares with stock dividend possibilities scoring gains of 2 to 18 points. The heavy buying and extensive short covering was caused, financial experts agreed, by the recommendation of the secretary of the treasury, urging modification or repeal of the excess profits tax. Sales of the first hour exceeded 500,000 shares.

The leaders in the advance included motor, railway equipment, leather, textile and shipping shares. Stutz Motors rose 18½ points to 127, General Motors 9 to 334½, American Woolen 6¼ to 140, American Car 4½ to 146, Crucible 3½ to 237, United Fruit 4½ to 206½, Atlantic Gulf 3 to 167, Endicott-Johnson 9½ to 118, Texas Company 5½ to 215½, and Reading 3 points to 88.

These were supplemented by food shares, tobaccos and numerous unclassified stocks, the movement embracing a wider variety of issues than at any time since the early weeks of the year. A very large part of the early trading originated with commission houses and indicated that a considerable volume of the buying power came from interior points.

PUBLISHER BICKNELL DEAD

FORT WAYNE, Ind., March 18.—Clarence F. Bicknell, president of the News Publishing Co., and publisher of the Fort Wayne News and Sentinel, died at a hospital here early today.

LEXINGTON, Ky., March 18.—Seven masked men raided the old Tarr distillery warehouse here early today and stole ninety-four cases of whiskey.

"Poor Water Pressure
Results in Poor Service. It may be your property next. Morals: Carry Adequate Insurance.
FRED C. CHURCH
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COMPLETE RESUMPTION OF FREIGHT TRAFFIC

Although at an early hour this afternoon the local agent of the Boston & Maine railroad had not received official notice of the lifting of all freight embargoes, it was understood that today marks a complete resumption of freight traffic on the entire system. For at least six weeks the system has been hampered in its work by ice and snow, but the situation has so far adjusted itself as to prompt the withdrawal of all embargoes and a subsequent return to normal conditions.

For the past week or more, in addition to the perplexing problems brought about by excessive ice and snow, the real barrier to a quicker return to normal conditions, has been an acute shortage of empty cars. Not that there are fewer cars than usual on the rails, but they have been stalled in remote places and could not be freed for use on the many divisions of the system.

During the period when the rails were covered with heavy ice and cars were solidly frozen into the yards and on sidings, the shopmen abandoned their repair work and joined forces with the trackmen, freight handlers

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$650 VERDICT

Against B. & M. For Holding Up Fire Apparatus

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 18.—A jury in the superior court awarded the plaintiff, Leon D. Ingram of Nashua, a verdict of $650 against the Boston & Maine railroad for damages, alleged to have been occasioned by the fire apparatus being held up at a railroad crossing by the lowering of the gates to allow a freight train to pass.

MAINE D. OF A. R. ENTERTAINMENT

AUGUSTA, Me., March 18.—Delegates at the annual convention of the Maine branch of the Daughters of the American Revolution today were entertained by Mrs. Milliken, wife of Governor Carl E. Milliken. This was the first public function in the Blaine house, the home of the late Congressman James G. Blaine, now occupied as the state's executive mansion.

An invitation to meet in Portland next March was received and a paper on the mothers' pension law was read by Louis A. Mack of Lisbon Falls at the closing session.

REPORT KAPP HAS ENDED LIFE

Collapse of Revolt Followed by Resumption of Authority by Old Government

Chief Task Now To Deal With Disorders Caused by Spartacans

Ebert and Noske Return to Berlin—Arrest of Reactionary Leaders Ordered

(By the Associated Press)

The collapse of the reactionary dictatorship in Berlin has been quickly followed by the resumption of authority on the part of the old government. Its chief task for the moment, it appears, will be to deal with the disordered conditions which the Spartacans are endeavoring to prolong for their own purposes.

Ebert and Noske in Berlin

Despatches stating that Minister of Defense Noske, the strong arm of the constitutional regime, was back on the scene in Berlin, have been followed by reports that President Ebert also had returned to the capital from Stuttgart. Pending his return, Vice Premier Schniffer, of the Bauer cabinet, took over the direction of affairs relinquished by Dr. Kapp when he gave up his effort to establish a new government.

Report Kapp a Suicide

There are reports current in Berlin that ex-Chancellor Kapp had committed suicide, but these so far lack confirmation. His prosecution together with that of other leaders of the actionary movement, is said to have been ordered by President Ebert.

Reports from Berlin say Dr. Wolfgang Kapp and his adherents have either fled from the city or contemplate going at once. Armed forces of the reactionary element are leaving Berlin today, and the presence of Gustav Noske, minister of defense in the Ebert cabinet, who arrived in Berlin last night by airplane from Stuttgart, would seem to indicate that the constitutional government intends to assume control immediately. General von Seeckt, President Ebert's chief of staff, has been named commander of government forces in Berlin.

Fear Radical Uprisings

Anouncements by Dr. Kapp as well as official statements from the officials of the Ebert government, reflect the fear o fa radical uprising in Germany. In fact Dr. Kapp's announcement stated he had resigned from the direction of affairs so that the country might be enabled to fight Bolshevism. From various cities come reports of uprisings of workers and advices from Berlin state that red forces, under command of Spartacist leaders are marching on that city. As the Ebert

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KIND TREATMENT OF ALL ANIMALS

The sixth annual national Be Kind to Animals Week will be observed during April 12-17 and Humane Sunday on April 18. It is an effort of the American Humane Educational society to encourage good treatment of all animals. The campaign will be given publicity throughout the nation and the aims of the idea brought particularly before the school children. In connection with the campaign the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has announced a prize poster contest for pupils in the schools of Massachusetts as follows:

First prize, $10 cash; second prize, $5 cash; third prize one year's subscription to "Our Dumb Animals;" fourth prize, copy of Jack London's book, "Michael, Brother of Jerry." The prizes will go to those submitting the best humane posters, in each of the following three classes:

Class 1—Posters from pupils in the fifth and sixth grades.

Class 2—Posters from pupils in grammar grades above the sixth.

Class 3—Posters from pupils in high school, training classes, etc. Pupils in advanced and normal art schools will not be eligible to any class.

The object of the contest is to interest the pupils in kindness to animals.

The posters should bring out the idea of kindness and may or may not contain the words "Be Kind to Animals" or give the dates of the campaign. Brief mottoes may also be used, but each poster should tell its own story in the picture.

The drawings may be pencil or crayon, pen and ink, cut paper silhouette, water color, or charcoal but the use of colors is strongly recommended. The drawings will be passed upon by a competent board of judges. All designs must be on cardboard or paper 14 by 20 inches, and the name of the contestant, name and address of the school and the number of the grade must be plainly written in the upper right corner of the back of each poster.

Send all posters flat, not rolled to the Mass. S.P.C.A., 180 Longwood avenue, Boston, no later than Thursday, April 8, 1920.

SHIPPING BOARD SIGNS CONTRACT FOR 12,000,000 BARRELS OF FUEL OIL

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The shipping board announced yesterday that contracts had been signed for more than 12,000,000 barrels of fuel oil for delivery at Gulf ports during the next six months. The contract prices ranged from $1.27 to $1.56 per barrel.

The Mexican Petroleum Corporation accepted a contract to deliver 211,000 barrels per month at Galveston for $1.34 per barrel; $110,000 barrels at Port Arthur for $1.56; 166,000 barrels at New Orleans for $1.40 and 612,000 barrels at Jacksonville at $1.50.

One contract was signed with the Atlantic Gulf Oil Corporation calling for the delivery of 3,600,000 barrels of "light Mexican crude" at $1 per barrel, plus export charges, to be delivered at Tecomet, Mex.

The Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey signed two contracts, the first calling for delivery at New York, Baltimore and Norfolk of 2,925,000 barrels at $2.07 per barrel, but this price will include the government transportation of 80 cents per barrel. The second contract with this company covered topping, storage and redelivery at New York of 2,800,000 barrels of fuel oil at $1.56 which, price also included the government transportation charges.

The price of eggs in Washington ranges from 60 to 70 cents a dozen, but just across the Potomac, in Virginia, farmers are having a hard time getting rid of freshly laid eggs for 33 cents a dozen.

SAYS HIS PRESCRIPTION HAS POWERFUL INFLUENCE OVER RHEUMATISM

Discoverer Tells Druggists Not to Take a Cent of Anyone's Money Unless Allenrhu Completely Banishes All Rheumatic Pains and Twinges.

Mr. James H. Allen suffered for years with rheumatism. Many times this terrible disease left him helpless and unable to work.

He finally decided, after years of ceaseless study, that no one can be free from rheumatism until the accumulated impurities, commonly called uric acid deposits, were dissolved in the joints and muscles and expelled from the body.

With this idea in mind he consulted physicians, made experiments and finally compounded a prescription that quickly and completely banished every sign and symptom of rheumatism from his system.

He freely gave his discovery to others who took it, with what might be called marvelous success. After years of urging he decided to let sufferers everywhere know about his discovery through the newspapers. A. W. Dows & Co. have been appointed agent for Allenrhu in this vicinity with the understanding that they will freely return the purchase money to all who state they received no benefit.—Adv.

53 Years Ago

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SPRING OPENING

Finds Our Women's, Misses' and Children's Apparel Sections

Radiant With a Comprehensive Assemblage of New Spring Fashions

Springtime with its blue skies, flashing sunshine and glad spirit of awakening life is reflected in the sprightly fashions for Milady's wear at this joyous season.

The scope of this spring exhibition expresses the spirit of this store in its desire to give its patrons opportunities for securing fashions at home. Mid so much beauty and variety the choosing of a wardrobe becomes delightfully simple and so pleasant.

NEW SUITS FOR SPRING

Hand tailoring of the highest custom character is particularly emphasized in our exclusive and individual New Spring Suits, including exact Paris productions. The new Eton suit with accordion skirt. New 26-inch straight-from-the-shoulder coats are but a few of many. Paris decrees the spring suit shall be of slender lines and that skirts be from seven to twelve inches from the floor. Coats vary in length from the short Eton and box coat to those that reach within ten inches of the bottom of the skirt. Sleeves are three-quarters or full length.

NEW COATS FOR SPRING

Soft lines, graceful drapes and pleatings dominate the new wraps and coats for spring that are developed in new fabrics of delicate texture, ranging from rough tweeds and polo cloth for utility wear to soft duvetyns, bollvias and silk cashmeres.

Novel collars and cuffs, distended pockets, self-cording and fancy stitching are effectively employed as trimmings.

NEW BLOUSES FOR SPRING

One may select hand-made blouses, exquisite in fineness of hand fagoting, hand embroidering, lace insertions and hand run tucks or lingerie blouses made lovely with hand drawn work done in far away Filipino villages, to say nothing of the hundreds of domestic styles.

Of Special Interest Will Be Our Window Display of New Spring Fashions

NEW GOWNS FOR SPRING

Fashion's partiality to taffeta for Spring Frocks. Very appealing are the plain and printed Georgette frocks with patterns outlined effectively with beads. Other Georgette frocks nonchalantly assume cascade draperies at the hip, low waist line or Turkish hip. And many tailored modes in tricotine and tricolette.

NEW SKIRTS FOR SPRING

In separate skirts slender lines prevail, although entire plaited skirts or panels of plaitings give added width to many models. For sports and general wear nothing has quite the popularity of the plaid skirts.

NEW MILLINERY FOR SPRING

A marked Egyptian influence is perhaps a most interesting feature about Sping Millinery. In contour, too, from the land of sphinxes many close fitting, small modes take inspiration. Others of bright liseré, patent leather and glittering cellophane have abruptly upturned brims and brilliant trimmings. Picture hats are developed of horsehair and malines. Typical Sport hats are fashioned of felt and ribbon.

NEW SHOES FOR SPRING

It's the variety to this spring's offering of shoes which makes it interesting. One may be secure in the knowledge of being correctly shod for every occasion when there are endless oxfords, pumps and boots from which to choose—the right sort of footwear with which to replenish one's wardrobe.

NEW HOSIERY FOR SPRING

There never was anything so lovely or so diversified as the many fascinating styles of new hosiery. Clocks are developed in embroidery, drop stitch and lace, forming smart accessories for a street frock or tailleur. With gowns and for these times one must be a bit more elegantly clad—the lace hose is exquisite and of a gossamer texture.

NEW GLOVES FOR SPRING

Gloves to accompany long, short, or three-quarter length sleeves. Women who pride themselves on being correct as to the smallest detail, should choose long gloves of silk or kid as well as very popular mosquetaire slip-on and regulation two-button styles. We feature all styles in silks, chamoisette and kid to harmonize with the costumes of spring.

NEW RIBBONS FOR SPRING

Summer frocks are of a filminess that is enhanced by ribbon decoration. Lingerie, too, is a combination of laces, silks and ribbons. For sashes, bags and millinery purposes, the collection of ribbons in silk, satin and velvet is wide. Metallic embroidered and richly brocaded ribbons are gorgeous in colorings and texture.

NEW UNDERTHINGS FOR SPRING

Springtime colorings have invaded the realm of underthings. But outnumbering them all here are countless cotton creations enhanced by hand sewing, French and Philippine embroidery and Valenciennes lace. The ideal wardrobe will include plenty of both types. Last, but by no means least, are irresistible negligees.

NEW CHILDREN'S APPAREL FOR SPRING

To make adorable children look more adorable is evidently the purpose of the new spring coats and frocks. They are fairy-like in fabric and line and the colors from which one may choose are many.

INFANTS' WEAR FOR SPRING

Mothers who wish to select complete layette or those who seek individual garments for baby, will find that here choice is in no way restricted. Care has been used in development of these wee offerings that baby's delicate skin may not be irritated by tight or rough seams. Daintiness is expressed in the fabrics and fine handiwork which adorns most of the models.

NEW NECKWEAR FOR SPRING

Few frocks could not help be successes, if enhanced with such enhancing neckwear styles as we are now showing here for this time of the season. Very chic are the high collars with jabots of matching lace. Adorable, too, are innumerable styles designed for wear with square cut and rounded neck lines and fashioned of sheer materials such as organdies, voiles, crepes and nets.

NEW BAGS FOR SPRING

Following The Land of Frocks, hand bags of moire take ruffle trimmings—and certainly they deserve to be fashionable, for they are quite the prettiest models shown for some time.

The moire bags which have no ruffle are liberally gathered into composition or metal frames. Other styles in beaded effects and tinsel fabrics are also exceptionally interesting.

NEW CORSETS FOR SPRING

Our corsetieres will help you achieve a graceful figure—and a modish silhouette, too. They will make it their business to see that all measurements are correct and that you are well fitted with corsets best adapted to your individual figure.

MEN AND APPARATUS FOR FIRE DEPT.

At next Tuesday's meeting of the municipal council Commissioner John F. Salmon will present to his brother commissioners the necessity of the immediate appointment of at least ten more men to the fire department to give the city proper protection and the purchase of several pieces of apparatus for the Highlands.

Before Commissioner Salmon can actually purchase new apparatus which he has already tentatively ordered, he must have the approval of the municipal council because the purchases will involve an expenditure of more than $500. Also, in order to appoint new men, he must have some assurance that he will receive money enough to pay their wages and the council is the body to give him this assurance.

The commissioner said this morning that he must have at least ten men at once. The recommendations of J. S. Caldwell, the expert of the New England Insurance Exchange, who was in this city recently, provided for immediate strengthening of the man-power of the department if the city is to be given the insurance rating to a community of this size.

DEATHS

BURNS—Andrew F. Burns, Sr., a well known resident of this city, died yesterday afternoon at his home, 371 Bridge street. Mr. Burns was born in Lowell, Sept. 25, 1859, and had been a resident of Centralville practically all his life. He is survived by his wife, Mary E. (Scahill) Burns; three sons, William A., of Amesbury; Andrew F., Jr., and Charles A. Burns; three brothers, Charles H., George W. and John R. Burns; one sister, Mrs. Ella T. Doran, and three grandchildren. He was a member of the Holy Name society of St. Michael's church and of the Barbers' union. Deceased was one of the best known barbers in the city and one of the oldest in active service up to the time of his illness. In his younger days he was prominent in amateur musical circles, possessing a rich tenor voice and hence he was in great demand.

DAVID—Mrs. Maria J. David died yesterday at her home, 18 Oakland st., aged 84 years, 6 months and 26 days. She is survived by three children, Frederick B. David, Miss Elizabeth W. David and Albert W. David, and one grandson, Marshall S. David. Mrs. David was the widow of Samuel M. David. She was an artist of considerable note, two of her portraits being of ex-Mayors Courtney and Dimon, now hung in the city hall.

DUCHARME—Mrs. Georgianna (Dulliere) Ducharme, died yesterday at her home, 29 Willie avenue, aged 67 years. She leaves her husband, Joseph; five sons, George, Lucien, Ernest and Denery, all of Lowell, and Julien Ducharme of Canada; one daughter, Sister St. Ephrem, superior of the Convent of the Grey Nuns in Moody street; three sisters, Mrs. N. Carrignan, Mrs. Elise Bussiere and Mrs. Victoria Gregoire, all of Canada, and three brothers, David of Fall River and Napoleon and George Dulliere, the latter two of Canada.

RILEY—Mrs. Bridget Riley died last evening at the home of her brother-in-law, John McCluskey, 246 Methuen street. She leaves two nieces, Miss Margaret McCluskey and Miss Margaret Connors, and two nephews, Dr. H. J. McCluskey and John Frank Conners.

LOPES—Manuel Lopes, child of Manuel and Maria Lopes, died this morning at the home of his parents, 43 Short street. The remains were removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

GRIFFIN—Mrs. Mary (O'Connor) Griffin and a well known resident, died today at the Chelmsford Street hospital. She leaves one brother, James O'Connor of Newmarket, N. H., and several nieces and nephews. The body was taken to the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FUNERALS

GOODIER—The funeral of John Goodier took place yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Burial took place in the Edson cemetery.

WOOD—The funeral services of Mrs. Mary F. Sanborn Wood were held yesterday afternoon at her home, 29 Winthrop avenue, and were largely attended. Rev. Elmer F. West, pastor of the Chelmsford Street Free Baptist church, officiated. There was appropriate singing by Mrs. Fred L. Roberts. The floral tributes were many and beautiful. The bearers were Ralph Wood, Royal Ellis, Edgar Whitney and Charles Emerson. Burial took place in the family lot in the Edson cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. West. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

CARNEY—Ivernia Carney, infant daughter of Albert and Mary (Sheridan) Carney, passed away at her home, 73 Billerica street, Wednesday morning after a brief illness. Besides her parents she leaves one sister and four brothers. The funeral took place Wednesday afternoon from the home of her parents, 73 Billerica street at 3 o'clock. Burial was private and took place in the family grave in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertaker William A. Mack.

HEQUEAS—The funeral of Christo Hequeias took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 454 Market street. Services were held at the Holy Trinity Greek church in Jefferson street and burial was in Westlawn cemetery under the direction of Undertakers C. H. Molloy's Sons.

HAD TERRIBLE COUGH AND NIGHT SWEATS

Cough About Gone, Eats and Sleeps Well, and Gained 12 Pounds.

"In December, 1913, I had a fearful cough, and my physician ordered me to change climate immediately. I went to San Antonio, Texas, and entered a sanatorium. Left there and came to Oklahoma City in October, 1915. Had no appetite, could not sleep, had night sweats and was losing from one to three pounds a week. I also had catarrh of the bowels, which the doctors had been unable to relieve.

"Relatives urged me to try Milks Emulsion. I did so and began to improve, slowly at first, but steadily. My weight has increased 12 pounds, I have no temperature, and my cough is about gone. I can eat heartily, sleep well, and am working at my trade again."—V. W. Neff, 610 No. Dewey St., Oklahoma City, Okla.

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No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Milks Emulsion under this guarantee—Take six bottles home with you, use it according to directions and if not satisfied with the results, your money will be promptly refunded. Price 60 cents and $1.20 per bottle. The Milks Emulsion Co., Terre Haute, Ind. Sold by druggists everywhere.

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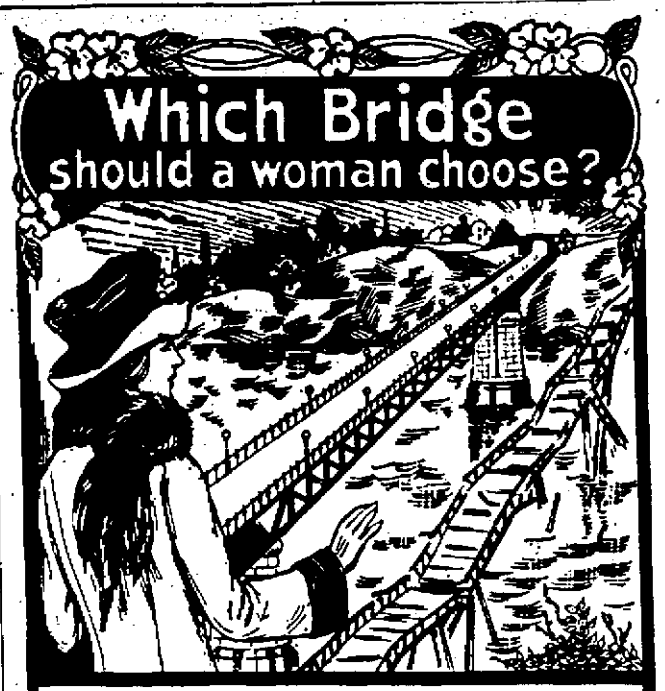

The Weak or the Strong One

If you see before you a strong and safe bridge leading to your goal, would you ignore it and choose some insecure and tottering structure?—

If you were offered sure aid in time of trouble would you hesitate to accept it?—

The answer is simple—you would choose what all evidence showed to be the safe way—and you would risk nothing in useless experiments.

Why then do some women risk one of their most precious possessions—their health—in trying medicines of unknown value, when everybody knows that the most successful remedy for woman's ills is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Here is more proof:

Reading, Pa.—"I had organic inflammation, pains in the side and back which were so sharp that they pulled me to my knees, and I could not walk. I had an operation and still I failed, and in the eight years I suffered I had four doctors and none helped me. My mother-in-law advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I was then in bed, and after the first bottle I could be out of bed, then I took Vegetable Compound Tablets and Lydia E. Pinkham's Blood Medicine and also used the Sanative Wash. I still take the medicine and am able now to do my own housework. My friends say, 'My! but you look well—what do you do? Who is your doctor?' and there is only one answer, 'Lydia E. Pinkham's medicines.'"—Mrs. Wm. Stein, 560 Douglas Street, Reading, Pa.

Gainesville, Tex.—"For three years I suffered untold agony each month with pains in my side. I found only temporary relief in doctor's medicine or anything else I took until my husband and I saw an advertisement of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I mentioned it to a neighbor and she told me she had taken it with good results, and advised me to try it. I was then in bed part of the time, and my doctor said I would have to be operated on, but we decided to try the Vegetable Compound, and I also used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash. I am a dressmaker and am now able to go about my work, and do my housework besides. You are welcome to use this letter as a testimonial as I am always glad to speak a word for your medicine."—Mrs. W. M. Stephens, 203 Harvey St., Gainesville, Texas.

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Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO., LYNN, MASS.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S SEWING CLUB

One of the most active departments of the League of Catholic Women is the sewing club which holds a regular meeting every Friday afternoon at 2.30 in the league rooms. There are many women of the league who attend the meeting and volunteer their help and time in turning out sewing and garments for the different orphanages, charitable organizations and social welfare departments of the city.

The children of St. Peter's orphanage for some time past have been the recipients of various pieces of clothing made by this sewing club and for which directors of the orphanage are very grateful.

The efforts of the club will now turn to making clothes for St. John's hospital, but meantime the women will fulfill a request made by the Lowell guild. The guild has always kept on hand a considerable supply of clothes for the use of the needy poor and it is to replenish this supply and also to do some special work for the nurses that the aid of the sewing club of the League of Catholic Women has been sought.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BURNS—Died at his home, 371 Bridge street, March 17, Andrew F. Burns, Sr. The funeral will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from his home. A solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Michael's church. The burial will take place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Motor cortege.

CULLEN—The funeral of Miss Mary A. Cullen will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 275 Fayette street. Solemn high funeral mass will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Motor cortege. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

DAVID—Died March 17th, Mrs. Maria J. David, aged 84 years, 6 months and 26 days, at her home, 18 Oakland street. Funeral services will be held at 18 Oakland street Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

HANSON—Died March 16, suddenly, Christian Hanson. Funeral services will be held at his home, 8 East Bleachery street, on Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

REYNOLDS—Died at the Lowell General hospital, March 16, Mrs. Agnes (Parsons) Reynolds. The funeral will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. A mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Columba's church. The burial will take place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Motor cortege.

RILEY—The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Riley will take place Saturday morning at 8.15 o'clock from the home of her brother-in-law, John McCluskey, 246 Methuen street. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery, Salem, Mass., in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna. Motor cortege.

COMMUNITY SERVICE ESSAY CONTEST

Approximately 30 high school pupils took part in the essay contest at 3 o'clock this afternoon in connection with the membership campaign of Lowell Community Service, Inc. The general topic to be considered is "What is Community Service?" although allied subjects were allowed.

For the past several days Otto Hockmeyer, president of the corporation, has supplied the pupils with material necessary for a comprehensive preparation of their essays and it is anticipated that many new ideas of wide interest will result.

Six prizes will be given for the six best essays as judged by the members of the English department of the high school and one at a time the winning six will be published in the daily press. The contest this afternoon was supervised by Morton A. Sturtevant, head of the English department.

No official reports of the progress of the membership campaign will be given out until next week, which has been set aside as Community Week, during which the program of work and solicitation will be vigorously pushed. Unofficially, however, it is stated that each mail brings additional memberships to the Community club in Dutton street, which reflects considerable work on the part of the campaign leaders even at this early date.

BUSINESS MEN MEET AT THE Y.M.C.A.

More than 250 Lowell business men gathered at the Young Men's Christian association this noon for the luncheon held in connection with the evangelistic campaign. This was a substantial increase in attendance over yesterday noon's meeting. Dr. Stephens spoke briefly and stressed the meeting for men to be held in the tabernacle next Sunday afternoon.

Some of the Stephens party went to the mill of the Bay State Cotton Corp. in Marginal street at 12.30 for another in the series of noon-hour meetings for mill people. Henry James played cornet solos and spoke in the interests of the campaign. As has been the case in all other mills, the campaign workers were cordially received.

During the noon hour, also, a meeting for business girls was held at the Paige Street Baptist church, where upwards of 100 young women met Miss Helen Byrnes, who also spoke for a few moments, urging attendance at the tabernacle services.

Girls from the high school stopped at the Y.W.C.A. at 1.30 o'clock on their way home and enjoyed a brief meeting with Mrs. Young in charge. At a previous meeting Mrs. Young interested nearly 100 of the schoolgirls and even a larger number met with her today.

Dr. Stephens preached at the tabernacle this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock on the topic, "Protracted Babyhood." The building was well filled.

The evangelist will preach again tonight, when another capacity audience is expected. On Tuesday and Wednesday nights the tabernacle was filled to the doors by Highlands people, and a particular invitation has been extended to Belvidere residents to attend tonight's service.

Great preparations are being made for the meeting for men Sunday afternoon, when Dr. Stephens will talk on "Hot Cakes From the Griddle."

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Proposed Soviet Republic in Berlin

COPENHAGEN, March 18.—General von Luettwitz, before his withdrawal from the head of the Kapp military forces in Berlin, proposed to Ernest Daumig, the Spartacan leader, the formation of a soviet republic under military protection, according to the Berlin correspondent of the Politiken.

Walsh Not Candidate

Continued

announcements yesterday by W. J. Buckley of Southbridge, Mass., and Major R. P. Shea of Fitchburg, that they were candidates for district delegates to the national convention pledged to him.

BOSTON, March 18.—A movement to have the New England delegations to the democratic national convention consist of men who will support the opposition of Senator Walsh of Massachusetts to the administration's peace treaty policy was announced by Major Thomas L. Walsh, his brother and law partner today.

The vote of the Massachusetts delegation on the early ballots probably will go to Senator Walsh as the party candidate for president, according to Michael A. O'Leary, chairman of the democratic state committee. Major Walsh said that delegates favorable to Senator Walsh were in the field in every district in the state with the junior senator heading the ticket for delegates at large. Opposition to the Walsh movement has cropped up in two districts, where candidates have appeared against those who favor the senator and his policies.

In effect, Chairman O'Leary said, a delegation from this state favoring Walsh would be considered as unpledged, in that it would be free to turn its support to any candidate after a complimentary vote on early ballots.

No effort was made to elect Walsh delegates in New Hampshire where the primaries were held a week ago, but Major Walsh said that a campaign for delegates who would accept the leadership of Senator Walsh would be made in all other New England states.

The possibility that states outside New England would contribute to the Walsh following at the national convention on the anti-peace treaty issue was suggested by other political associates of the senator, who said that indications to this effect had come from Montana.

AMERICAN LEGION WILL HOLD SMOKER

The American Legion will hold a smoker and general good time in the Community club rooms this evening. As a part of the entertainment there will be a couple of good amateur boxing bouts after the discussion which will have to do with business matters of the legion. The regular weekly meeting will be held next Monday night.

In the Community league bowling schedule the Army will roll the Navy tonight; the Legion will compete with Jessops tomorrow night; and on Saturday the Cardinals will roll the Community club and the Canadian Vets the Kitchen Mechanics.

Some very exciting contests are expected with these teams. The "Jessops" team is formed mainly from the star players of the Merrimack bowling league, each one of whom is capable of rolling up a steady score generally around the 300 mark.

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HIGH COST OF LIVING IN MONKEY WORLD

Charlotte's finally given up smoking cigarettes. We've managed to persuade her that it's hard on the lungs, and isn't ladylike. As a substitute, she's taken up ice cream cones.

I'm afraid Charlotte must have fallen into mad company when she went overseas with the soldiers. She came to us with an uncontrollable temper and a mania for cigarettes. And she seemed to expect to get exactly what she wanted. She had evidently been boss where she came from and seemed fully determined to act as such when she came to us.

And she had a most highly cultivated appetite with a special fondness for artichokes—cooked, canned or raw. But artichokes came too high so we tried to convince her to adopt some more sustaining and cheaper food.

Oh, but her pride was hurt when she found she couldn't run things with a high hand as she had done in France. We refused to give her any more artichokes, and gradually cut down her supply of cigarettes. She flew into a rage, sulked and wouldn't have a thing to do with any of us.

In retaliation she took to snatching little girls' hats through her cage bars. Leering seductively through the bars of her cage, chuckling and beseeching with alluring grimaces, she enticed them within range. Then Charlotte's arm would snap out with incredible swiftness and snatch the hat from the child's head. Before the little girl could even whimper, Charlotte would mutilate the floral adornments.

This cost us some more money and we tried every way possible to punish her, but she would sit there in the middle of the cage, out of reach and chatter and wag her head at us, simply daring us to do our worst.

Then, suddenly, after all her cussedness, Charlotte became convinced that she was losing all her friends. She became quiet and friendly. Children could approach her cage with perfect safety, and Charlotte even condescended to shake hands with a few.

We're still suspicious of her intentions, because she's mischievous and has a mighty quick brain. As a payment for her continued good behavior we are feeding her ice cream cones in the hope that it will tend to make her act more refined and ladylike. She can be nice when she wants to, but she's so saucy and independent we can't tell what she'll do next.

As a resident of West Philadelphia was entering the street in which he lives a fierce blast of the blizzard through which he was struggling blew off his hat and it went rolling up the street. Struggling along with it, he found it waiting for him, wedged against his own doorstep.

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A Child's Soft Teeth Are Easily Injured

The teeth of young children are not yet thoroughly calcified; many have naturally soft, chalky teeth. Many tooth pastes contain pumice, powdered oyster-shell, acid-calcium-phosphate. Prof. Gies of Columbia College found one of these which was gritty enough to scratch glass! It is well for mothers to be careful.

A great many professional men allow only Albodon Dental Cream to be used in their homes. Dr. Henry R. Kreider, professor of chemistry at Toledo University, considers it a superior preparation, and the children of the Rochester Orphan Asylum have their "tooth drills" with it.

Albodon is calcium carbonate, saponified and mixed with the well-known oils of cloves, cinnamon and eucalyptus. It is peculiarly effective and safe for women and children. A tube lasting five weeks can be bought for 25c at any drug store.—Adv.

EVE STARTS ON 3000 MILE HIKE

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 18—A pair of shapely tan pumps are seven league boots for 20-year-old Eve Montaldo, who is striding from Hollywood, Cal., to New York City, alone, but the "happiest girl in America."

Miss Montaldo's impedimenta includes a make-up box and a sweater. Otherwise she trusts to her frank smile and a faith in human beings to land her safely over the 3,000 miles of mountain, prairie and desert. She's due in August and has finished the first 300 miles without mishap, thanks to friendly autoists, in four days.

"I always believed that Americans are the most chivalrous people on earth," she said. "Now I know it. I've found that people are just folks. It takes the open air to bring it out. In the cities they are too busy to be natural."

The little hiker left Hollywood "broke" after an unsuccessful try at the "movies." She says she can't do silent parts—she just has to talk. So she entertains at hotels along the way recounting her experiences and dramatizing the events of her eventful hike.

TURKS RESIST ALLIES

Fighting as Allied Forces Seize Constantinople—Big Guns Trained on City

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 16 (By the Associated Press.)—Constantinople was occupied this morning by allied forces under Gen. Sir George F. Milne of the British army. This long-looked-for military demonstration by the allies against Turkey was carried out with only one untoward happening, a serious clash at the war office, where the Turks resisted the allied troops.

An exchange of shots resulted, in which several Punjagi, of the British East Indian forces, and a few of the Turks, were killed.

The excitement caused by the occupation quieted down before darkness, which brought absolute calm.

The landing was carried out under the guns of the formidable allied fleet anchored in the Bosphorus. The British dreadnought Benbow was moored at the Galata Quay, her guns trained upon Stamboul. Another man-of-war faced the arsenal in the Golden Horn, while all the other warships in the Bosphorus were standing by with their decks cleared for action.

The population showed little alarm, nor was there any sign of panic except in one section of Stamboul.

Prominent Turks Arrested

The forces landed included 4000 bluejackets and Marines from the British warships, and contingents from the forces of all the allies represented here. Indian detachments having Moslems on their rosters were among the troops taking part in the operation.

Comprehensive military and naval plans had been made for carrying out the allied measures. Last night a number of Turks and other persons who were regarded as possible disturbers of the peace were arrested, including the commander of the Tenth Turkish Division.

The dead walls of Constantinople have been placarded with a proclamation in Greek, English and French by Maj. Gen. Henry F. M. Wilson of the British troops, declaring that anyone committing any act that threatened the safety of the allied forces would be tried by court-martial and sentenced to death or such other penalty as the court might fix.

The French this evening are patrolling Stamboul with Senegalese troops. The British are guarding Pera, the suburb northwest of the Golden Horn, while the Italians are guarding Scutari, the portion of Constantinople on the Asiatic side of the Bosphorus.

The flutter that occurred in Stamboul as the troops marched in was on the part of the shopkeepers near the war office, where the clash occurred. They closed their shops in their first fright, but speedily reopened them.

Allies Stop Shipping and Wire Lines

The allies are declared to believe their measures have provided amply for the maintenance of security and order in Constantinople, and consider it questionable whether even the so-called nationalist forces in Anatolia are in a position to attempt anything serious.

The allies have occupied the ministries of war and navy and assumed control of the posts, telegraphs and telephones, which have been temporarily suspended. Shipping also has been suspended.

The allied high commissioner has issued a statement declaring that the allies have no intention of destroying the authority of the Sultan, but wish to strengthen his power. It also says the allies will adhere to their intention not to deprive the Turks of Constantinople, but that they may be compelled to modify their decision if massacres and disorder continue.

Turkish resistance to the terms of the peace treaty and continuation of massacres of Armenians is the cause of the move by the allies in occupying Constantinople.

TO TRAIN AT DEVENS

PORTLAND, Me., March 15—A tentative plan was communicated yesterday by headquarters of the northeastern department to the state militia authorities whereby the Third regiment, national guard, will go to Camp Devens for its annual tour of duty, beginning June 19 and continuing 15 days.

It is planned for the regiment to return to the state in time to participate one day in the state's centennial celebration.

HOUSE IS BADLY DAMAGED BY FIRE

Considerable loss was sustained by Argonis Zariphes last night when fire destroyed the roof of his home at 853 Rogers street and gutted rooms on the second floor. The flames were not discovered until they had broken through the roof and as the house is situated on the Lowell-Tewksbury line the fire had gained rapid headway before the firemen arrived in response to Box 816 at 7.25 o'clock.

The water pressure was sufficient to send a heavy stream into the house and the fire was confined to the roof and two rooms on the second floor in the rear. Practically all of the furniture down stairs was removed to a place of safety and the six Zariphes children were taken in by neighbors.

It is believed that the fire started in a partition between the kitchen and pantry and rapidly worked its way upward. The house is completely new, having been built less than four years ago. The retail signal was not sounded until 8.38 o'clock.

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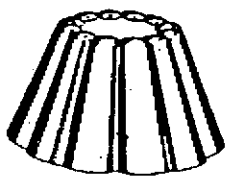

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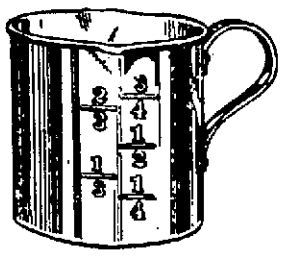

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SUNDAY SPORTS' BILL

Lowell People Are Not Much Enthused Over the New Recreation Bill

A bill sanctioning amateur sports on Sunday in Massachusetts, which the senate yesterday passed to be engrossed, has not aroused any great flurry of excitement or anticipation in Lowell. In fact, many people interested in recreation and the promotion of all sorts of outdoor sports look on the measure with no little displeasure, saying that its provisions are so drastic as to greatly curtail the advantages which appear on the surface.

For some time Lowell has sanctioned baseball games on the city commons on Sunday between local teams and aggregations representing army and navy units. It has been the custom to take up a collection among the spectators and baseball promoters now say that the provision in the new bill which rules against this collection system and also prohibits admission charges or the payment of participants, greatly limits the benefits to be derived.

Some people, on the other hand, say that inasmuch as members of private clubs are allowed to enjoy recreational games, such as golf and tennis on Sunday, people who seek public parks for their recreation, at least ought to have the same privilege and find there an outlet for their surplus energy.

Undoubtedly, the passage of the bill will mean that there will be a general exodus of boys to the city baseball diamonds on Sunday for "scrub" and even prearranged games. The bill stipulates, of course, that such games shall not be played during any hours of church services, nor shall they in any way interfere with public worship or quiet on that day.

Under the bill it will be possible also to hold other recreational and sporting events on Sunday, provided they are restricted to purely amateur lines. If the city should build tennis courts on land near the public bath house on the boulevard, as is tentatively planned the bill in question would allow for participation in this sport. Track athletics also might be promoted, but the principal form of amusement will be baseball, as it has been in the past.

The bill undoubtedly will allow hundreds of boys to indulge in healthful exercise and in remote instance will bring pleasure to spectators, but games between semi-professional players will not occur, unless promoted along lines laid down by the restrictions of the bill. Baseball teams which perform for the amusement of the public cannot exist these days without some source of revenue and for this reason, it is problematical as to the real effect of the bill, when its provisions will be taken advantage of this coming summer.

The park department of the city is endeavoring to acquire additional land in several sections of the city for baseball purposes. The present available diamonds are all too few, as is thoroughly realized. The demand for playing space is far in excess of the supply and the park board will make an attempt to rectify this need somewhat this summer.

This Frees Your Skin From Hair or Fuzz

(Toilet Tips)

The method here suggested for the removal of superfluous hair is quick and certain and unless the growth is extremely stubborn, a single application does the work. Make a stiff paste with some powdered delatone and water; apply this to the hairy surface and after about two minutes rub it off, wash the skin and the hairs are gone. To avoid disappointment, be sure your druggist sells you delatone.—Adv.

SICKNESS BEGAN WITH A BAD COLD

When the bodily resistance is low a moment's exposure to a draft, a sudden change of temperature, wet feet or wet clothing may bring on a cold. Lowered resistance means that the blood is lacking in the elements necessary to maintain health. As long as the blood is weak, there is danger from colds or from the germs of any epidemic disease.

An effective way of building up the blood and thus fortifying the system is that demonstrated by Mr. Joseph Willett, of No. 68 Bangor Street, Augusta, Me.

"I became badly run down following a severe cold," says Mr. Willett. "My stomach was badly affected and I suffered frequently from severe pains after eating. I had sour stomach at times and dizzy spells. I lost flesh and it seemed as though I didn't have any strength.

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TOOK 378 HUN SCALPS

Record of Corp. Pegahmagabow, Canadian Indian Who Volunteered For War

OTTAWA, Ont., March 18.—Corporal Francis Pegahmagabow, one of more than 4000 Canadian Indians, who volunteered for service with the Canadian Expeditionary Force, is credited with the "scalps" of 378 Germans, in a report submitted to the house of commons by Arthur Meighen, minister of the interior.

The corporal, who hails from Parry Sound, was one of a large number of Indian crack shots who were detailed as snipers. He received the military medal with two bars for his exploits.

Mr. Meighen's report cites numerous instances of gallantry on the part of the Indian contingent, which numbered more than 35 per cent of the total male Indian population of military age. One Indian, John Campbell, traveled 3000 miles by canoe, train and steamer to reach Vancouver so that he could enlist.

Spring 1920 Fashions

Spring 1920 Fashions

The introduction to the new fashions in suits, coats, dresses, blouses, gloves, hosiery, neckwear, veilings, footwear, and all accessories of fashionable dress is now being held.

To a great many people there is nothing so important just now as to see the glorious displays of fashions for spring, and to be guided correctly to the really new and accepted styles.

To every woman and miss who desires to be correctly informed upon this point we would say: Visit our store. We here extend a cordial invitation to you to come in and inspect them at your leisure.

SUITS

The straight line suit is favored for spring, being on the whole not very different from the styles of the preceding season. The ripple coat as well as the strictly tailored model in both the short and the new finger-tip length coat are here. The coats are plain and belted, and parade novel touches in pockets, cuffs, collars and trimmings.

COATS

Separate coats promise to be as popular this season, as they have been in seasons past. The new models for immediate wear show many fitted tops and smooth shoulder with set-in sleeves. The garments are inclined to be fitted in at the waist, while they flare at the side and are adorned with shawl and convertible collars, of many unique designs.

DRESSES

The lines of the new dresses are inclined to be quite narrow and short this season. They display short sleeves and low bloused waist lines at the back, and unique arrangements of taffeta ribbon at the neck and belts. Quite a few of the new modes are flared at the sides while others are bedizened with panels, peplums and so on, of unique and fetching design and needlework.

BLOUSES

The gathering comprises the new overblouse effects which are attracting a great deal of attention as well as myriads of other stunning models of emulating beauty, which slip in at the waist line. All show the round and V necks.

CORSETS

The foundation of the smart costume is a well fitted and a becoming corset. We are ready with the corsets and brassieres that show this year's new silhouette. Many splendid makes are included in the varieties offered in our new spring assortment.

VEILING

The veil with its mystic and piquant charm will play an important part in spring dress, says Dame Fashion. The sheerest of daintiest creations are here in profusion in all the weaves and shades for instant choosing.

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There's a charming and becoming neckpiece here for you. Many exceedingly dainty and effective styles have been originated, and all are on display here. This is the sort of neckwear that lends distinction to the costume with which it is worn.

Spring Showing

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Children's Wear

This is our first full showing of children's apparel for Spring; and it will be well worth the while of every mother to come and make herself familiar with it. It will make her acquainted with all that is new and stylish in juvenile raiment and present her with many valuable suggestions about the selection of becoming garments for school and dressy wear.

Girls' White Dresses sizes 2 to 6 years, **$2.98 to $6.98**
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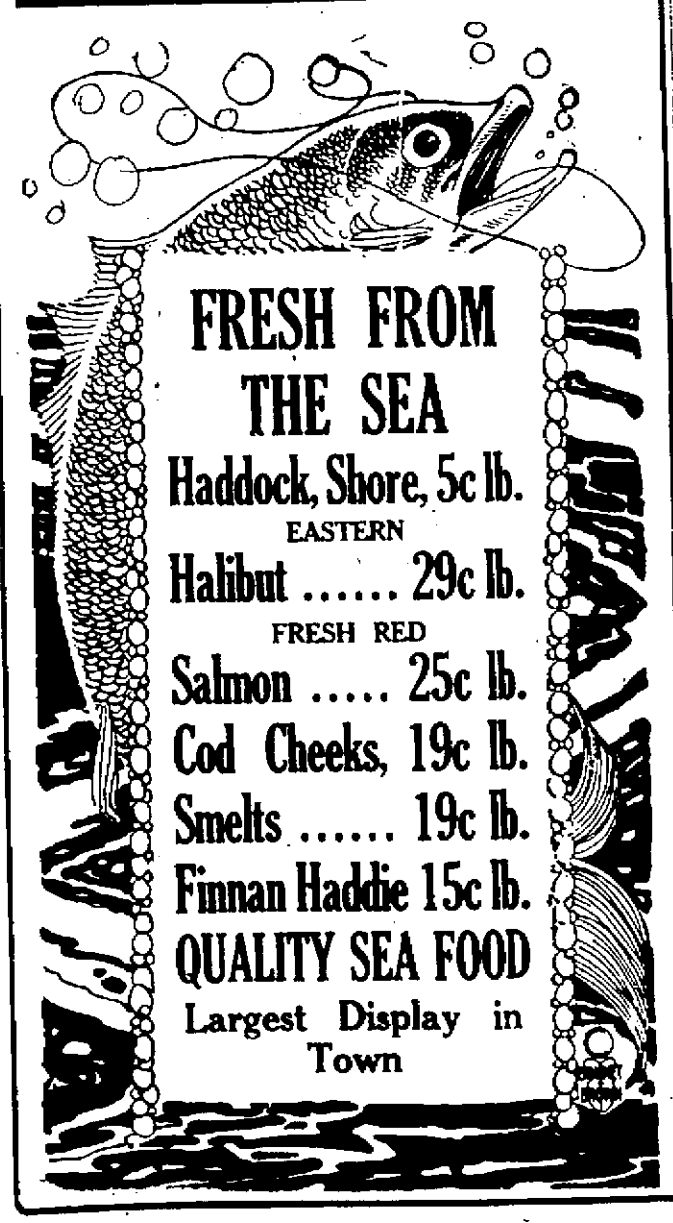

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Shortly after 2 o'clock last evening an alarm from box 227 summoned a portion of the department to 167 Charles street for an ash barrel fire in the yard of Adolph Garricka. No damage.

This week's payroll for municipal departments totals $33,151.51. Increases for firemen and water department employes, as recently granted by Commissioner John F. Salmon, are included.

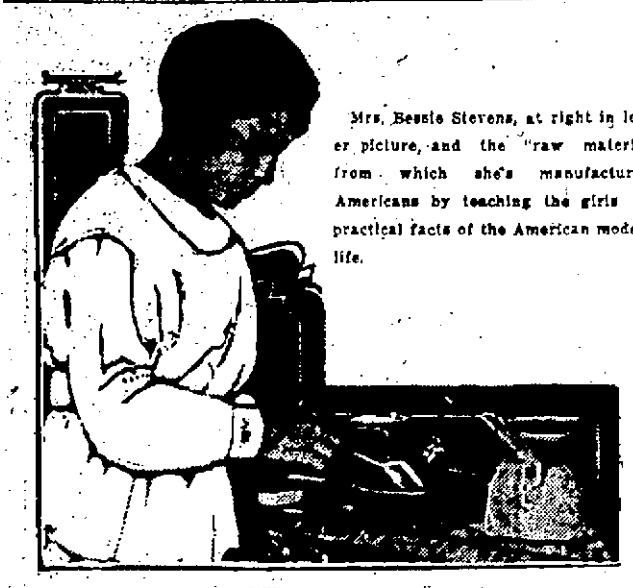
Supt. Hugh J. Molloy has called a general meeting of the teachers of the public schools for next Monday afternoon, March 22, at 4.15, in high school hall. All teachers are urged to attend. The meeting will not extend beyond five o'clock.

Miss Etheldred A. Willmott, of 223 Mammoth road, Lowell, is a speaker on Mount Holyoke's affirmative team for the intercollegiate debate. This team will debate against Barnard at Mount Holyoke on Saturday evening, March 20, on the subject: Resolved, That the recognition of trade unions by employers is essential to successful collective bargaining."

The Misses Bridget and Anna Healey, who have been in Chicago, Ill., for the past six weeks attending the funerals of their nieces, Mrs. Catherine Minahan and Mrs. Margaret Dipmore, have returned. Mrs. Minahan and Mrs. Dipmore are the sisters of the well known physician, Dr. M. A. Tighe. Mrs. Dipmore was formerly Miss Margaret Tighe and lived in Lowell with her grandmother.

New Bolivian Cabinet Formed

LA PAZ, Bolivia, March 15.—A new cabinet has been formed by President Jose Gutierrez Guerra, the portfolio of foreign relations being retained by Carlos Gutierrez.



Mrs. Bessie Stevens, at right in lower picture, and the "raw material" from which she's manufacturing Americans by teaching the girls the practical facts of the American mode of life.

THE STRAIGHT ROAD TO AMERICANISM

OAKLAND, Cal., March 18.—While congress, the courts, police, writers and preachers are trying to get together on a definition of just what constitutes Americanism, two women here are going ahead and making remarkable progress in manufacturing it from raw foreign material.

They are Mrs. Bessie Stevens and Miss Emma Kane, directors of the federal vocational cottage, a demonstration home for domestic occupations devoted largely to immigrants from southern Europe and their children.

And they say that Americanism grows out of cooking, sewing, sweeping and sanitation—homely, down-to-the-ground things—rather than from patriotic abstractions that have no handle to take hold of.

A common language, common customs and a similarity of things in the kitchens and living rooms of its people are essential for that neighborliness which is the foundation stone of national strength.

That's the key to which the Federal Vocational school here is set. The work of transforming aliens in mind and tongue into good Americans is carried on with infinite patience, through various practical demonstrations, and without snobbery by these women pioneers in a serious national task.

Miss Kane, principal of the Lazaer school, started the pioneer work of Americanization six years ago. In 1919 Oakland provided the four room cottage school in which this work is now carried on. The school is supported by federal, state and local funds.

One of the first steps taken by Miss Kane and her assistant was the instilling in their pupils of the primary importance of sanitary conditions. Mothers and children were convinced that homes should have plenty of fresh air and nutritious food. This was accomplished only after a long fight against the native superstitions of the aliens.

Not only in the school room, but through visiting teachers is the work of Americanization being carried on. Mothers are visited in their homes and given instruction in the English language, and in the general upkeep of their home. Everything possible is being done to enlarge the horizon of these parents, most of whom spent their day time in the cotton mills and their evenings in house work. They are being taught the value of systematic cleanliness and their entire plane of living is gradually being raised.

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FOR FLAT TAX ON PROFITS

Houston Urges Congress To Simplify Tax Law—Would Begin Reduction in 1922

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Income and excess profits taxes cannot be reduced until after 1922, Sec. Houston yesterday wrote the house ways and means committee, urging an immediate simplification of these taxes and substitution of a flat tax on excess profits instead of the graduated rates of 20 and 40 per cent.

Only very moderate reductions may be made in the calendar year of 1922, collected in 1923, the secretary wrote. Under the plan of a flat tax, the letter stated, "it would be possible to adopt a declining rate, say of 25 per cent. for the first year in which the change is in operation, 20 per cent. for the second year and 15 per cent. thereafter."

Unless action is taken at the present session of congress, Mr. Houston said, existing taxes "must continue to be collected on the basis of the present law until the close of the calendar year 1922." Such a condition, he wrote, "is contemplated with the gravest apprehension."

Loses on Stock Dividends

Immediate losses to the government under the supreme court's decision that stock dividends are not taxable will approximate $105,000,000, the letter stated. Sec. Houston added, however, that the ultimate loss would be only $25,000,000, as much of the original loss would be regained through the sale of stocks and subsequent taxes on them. The secretary estimated that $35,000,000 collected in 1918 would have to be refunded, and $70,000,000 would be lost on 1919 taxes.

Aggregate losses for 1918 and 1919 under exemption to personal service corporations will approximate $13,000,000, involving 2500 corporations, the secretary wrote, adding that the need for immediate legislation to meet the situation arose "not so much from the possible loss of revenue as from the obvious undesirability of permitting 2500 corporations and their stockholders to escape the taxes upon the corporations and those imposed upon individuals."

Says It Would Mean Reduction

Chairman Fordney of the house ways and means committee, commenting on Sec. Houston's suggestion for a flat tax to supplant the present graduated system, said the repeal of the $2,000,000 exemption granted under present income laws and the creation of a flat tax on all profits and incomes would result in lowering the average tax from 22 per cent. to approximately 17 per cent.

"Present taxes are based on the disposition of profits," he said, "while under the proposed flat tax there would be a straight assessment regardless of the disposition of the taxable amounts."

Representative Kitchin, democrat, North Carolina, however, said the proposed change in the income and excess profits taxes would "switch the burdens from the war and peace profiteers to the little fellows, least capable of bearing the burden." Present tax laws have the approval of President Wilson, ex-Sec. McAdoo and congress, he stated, adding "they are working satisfactorily."

Invitation to Extravagance

"A tax system yielding, or likely to yield in the future a surplus of revenue over expenditures," Mr. Houston wrote, "is an open invitation to public extravagance, whereas an announced resolution to reduce taxes as the occasion which called them forth recedes into the past, is one of the most potent means of insuring economy in public expenditures. The people, therefore, consumers as well as producers, indirect as well as direct tax payers may fairly ask to be told now, the earliest future date at which the most absolute features of the tax law are to be repealed."

For the simplification of the taxes, with a resultant "modest reduction" the secretary first recommended enactment of an amendment authorizing the internal reenue bureau to make a final determination and settlement of any tax claim of assessment which shall not thereafter be reopened or modified by the government except on a showing of fraud. The particular importance of this change, the secretary said, was that if the present levies continue and all back taxes along with the current taxes are contained in the same year "the result may be highly disastrous to business" in case of industrial depression.

Other Recommendations

Other recommendations included: Extension to all income and profit tax laws of the five-year limitation contained only in the 1918 law, on the time for bringing suits for collection of taxes.

Consolidation of the varying exemptions on the Liberty bond issues so as to strengthen the market standing of those securities.

Extraordinary income as compensation from personal service and gains from sales or dealings in property for a period of years deemed to have accrued ratably during the years in which the service was rendered or the property held and the amount of extraordinary income so assigned to any one year be subjected to the sur tax rates prescribed by law for that year.

The secretary said the application and calculation of the excess profits tax was so complex that "new returns are being made faster than the old returns can be audited, resulting in an accumulation of claims and potential back taxes." He suggested a plan of simplification "designed first to eliminate from the war profits and excess profits tax law (except as it applied to war contracts) all reference to or use of invested capital, and second, to place the taxation of incorporated concerns as far as may be, on substantially the same basis.

How It Can Be Accomplished

"The first object," he said, "is accomplished by substituting for the present graduated rates of 20 and 40 per cent. a flat tax on profits in excess of the distributed earnings. The second object could be accomplished by making it explicit in the law that corporations have the right to pay dividends on bonds or promises to pay bearing a fair rate of interest which are taxable to the stockholders as ordinary dividends, or by authorizing corporations to receive back from their stockholders as 'paid in surplus' cash or other dividends recently distributed.

"Under these or analogous procedures a corporation could retain its profits for use in the business and convert the profits tax into a genuine income tax. The excess profits tax would thus become a flat tax on undistributed earnings. 'invested capital' would practically disappear; and the corporation, if it desired, could place itself on substantially the same basis as the partnership, the personal service corporation and the sole proprietor."

Mr. Houston estimated that the suggested amendment would reduce the tax revenue by approximately $430,000,000 a year.

"Present corporate conditions," he continued, "can hardly be maintained, and if corporate income declines and invested capital increases as rapidly as they have done in the past 12 months, the proposed amendment would probably cause no reduction in the future revenue."

Hobos are traveling a new way now. They hire out to employers who pay the fares of the gangs of men from distant cities, and when they reach the city to which their fares are paid many of them duck the job and hire out again, to get their fares paid to cities farther on.

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Thousands of thrifty mothers and fathers have found this clearance sale a wonderful opportunity to purchase boys' fine clothing at record low prices. We trust that all who have not yet profited will do so this week. Sale ends Saturday night at 10 o'clock. There are values here that will not come again for a year or more. Spring prices will prevail after Saturday night. Here are the final clearance prices for these remaining two days.

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Sporting News and Newsy Sports

DOWNES AND RECTOR IN TONIGHT'S MAIN BOUT

Members of the Crescent A.A. look for considerable action at tonight's meeting, when four high class numbers are scheduled to be run off.

In the main event of 12 rounds, Johnny Downes of South Boston and Young Rector of Jersey City will be the principals. In the semi-final number Young Avila of Lowell will meet Mickey Devine of Providence. Kid Cooker and Young Paneo, local rivals, are to perform in one preliminary and Buddy Lane of Lowell and Billy Smith of Lawrence will swap punches in the other six-round event.

Downes is well and favorably known here where he has always given satisfaction. He engaged in two thrilling mills here with Frankie Brown, and his work in both encounters stamped him as a top-notch performer. He is aggressive, a hard hitter, and is ever ready to stand in there and trade wallops. Rector has been at the game for some time, and during his career met many of the leading lightweights of the country.

Avila has been coming along at a lively clip of late, and if successful against Devine tonight he has been promised several good matches in Rhode Island. The preliminary boys need no "introduction" to the members. All have performed here at previous meetings, and their work was always satisfactory.

Young Rector and his manager, Fred De Lorme, arrived in Lowell this morning. Mr. De Lorme announced that his boy was in fine fettle for tonight's bout.

JIMMY MAHAN IN "COME BACK" STUNT

Jimmy Mahan, of Lowell, who staged a successful "come back" against Johnny Boyle here a few weeks ago, by holding the hard hitting Boyle to a draw in eight rounds, boxed Sailor Fay, of the U.S.S. Virginia, at Camp Devens last night, and while losing the decision he put up a fine battle. Fay outweighted the Lowell boxer, but despite this fact Mahan stayed in there the entire distance and swapped with him and did much of the forcing. Mahan injured his arm in the first round, but he stuck gamely to the end, and was given a big hand when he left the ring.

Sergt. Swanson and Johnny Carson of Lawrence boxed an eight round draw. Leo Gregory of Medford won the decision over Babe Christo of Lowell in six rounds. Several other high class bouts were put on. Benny Osthues refereed all bouts.

POLO AVERAGES

Kid Williams Leading Scorer Last Week

While Kid Williams was the leading goal getter last week, making 17 bullseyes, Bob Hart maintains the top position for the season with a total of 268. Kid William's season's total is 256. Duggan made a big gain on Taylor in spot rushing and is but 3 behind the Worcester man. Hurley continues out in front in fouls and Pence of Lowell is still leading the goal tends.

The averages:

GOALS MADE BY

B. Hart	268	Dufresne	38
K. Williams	256	Donnelly	34
Taylor	234	Welch	23
Duggan	219	Muirhead	21
G. Hart	215	Lyons	16
R. Williams	201	Wiley	12
Thompson	198	Morrison	11
Higgins	195	Cusick	9
Pierce	173	Doherty	9
Davies	165	Cameron	9
Alexander	162	W. Lovegreen	9
Harkins	115	Brown	7
Mulligan	116	Foley	7
Hardy	76	Slater	5
Jean	65	Finnell	3
Griffith	57	Gardner	3

RUSHES TAKEN BY

Taylor	744	Mulligan	162
Duggan	741	G. Hart	26
Alexander	635	Wiley	22
R. Williams	578	W. Lovegreen	7
Pierce	381	Higgins	3
B. Hart	355	Thompson	3
Davies	327	Harkins	3
K. Williams	173		

FOULS MADE BY

Hardy	75	Duggan	14
Donnelly	61	Finnell	11
Jean	51	G. Hart	9
Doherty	49	Taylor	9
Cusick	36	Alexander	8
Dufresne	32	Thompson	7
Foley	31	Mulligan	6
B. Hart	26	Higgins	6
Cameron	25	R. Williams	6
Lyons	25	Pierce	6
Brown	21	Harkins	4
Gardner	22	Blount	3
Morrison	21	Pence	2
Griffith	15	Davies	1
Muirhead	14		

GOALTENDS' AVERAGES

	Stopped	Missed	P.C.
Pence	1694	358	93.5
Blount	4928	412	92.3
Conley	4636	393	92.2
Purcell	4612	472	91.1
Lovegreen	4915	519	90.4
Hueffner	2575	286	90.0
Jette	2292	272	89.4

POLO NOTES

The "Jiggers" of Worcester will play Lowell at the Crescent rink tomorrow night.

Worcester and Lowell always put up a well contested game. With Conley in goal, the Worcester team is now regarded one of the strongest in the league, and while down with Lowell in the standing, the players still feel confident that they will land in the money.

The Crescent amateurs, with a new man in the lineup, will play a fast team before the big game tomorrow night.

Several fans from Lawrence attended the Fall River-Lowell game the other night. They greatly enjoyed Blount's high class goal tending.

"Bob" Hart will not be able to finish the polo season, having been ordered to report to the National baseball league headquarters in two weeks. With Duggan now a member of the Whalers, the team will probably "recall" Young Welsh, when Hart goes.

U. S. TO BUST UP CINCY—HELP!

Staff Special

WASHINGTON, March 18.—"The department of justice is going to break up the Cincinnati ball team."

This was the startling news an excited visitor brought to the office of the Washington Baseball club the other day.

"What's that?" demanded Clark Griffith. "Say that again!"

"Just what I said. Uncle Sam's going to bust up the Cincinnati team. Mitchell Palmer's orders."

"Gee! That's fierce. What's Palmer got against Cincinnati?"

"He thinks the whole team's Bolshevik. They're Reds, you know, and Palmer says every Red must be deported."

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LOWELL BEATS SALEM IN EXCITING GAME

The Salem "Witches," who always give Lowell a stiff battle, and who play fast polo whether in victory or defeat, went down to defeat at the hands of Lowell in a well played game at the Crescent rink last night by the score of 8 to 6.

While more closely contested games have been seen here, few as exciting or as interesting, as that of last night, have been played here. It was a seesaw battle, with goals coming frequently, and the winner in doubt much of the time.

The Salem club, with the flashy Williams and the ever industrious Hardy, is always dangerous. If Williams is giving much freedom, he is liable to fill the cage, while when Hardy starts driving, his shots usually go to the mark. The team has a plan of shifting, during the progress of play. If the opposition is holding Williams in check, Hardy will go up on the rush, and the "Kid" drops back. The visitors employed all maneuvers, and fought hard every minute, but Lowell by superior combination endeavor finally triumphed.

There was much skating, juggling, and hard driving, with a sprinkling of the strenuous, to add zest to the contest, Hardy was in old time form, and he added two fouls to his total for the season. Referee Knowlton was on the job, and few violations of the rules escaped his eagle eye. Williams played hard and he gave Griffith a merry time in keeping him in check.

Griffith, however, seldom played a better game. He did not trail Williams, as much as in previous games, but he did much work on the offensive. Many times he came up the floor for a drive, and he negotiated two fine goals. Davies and Harkins worked to desire in front, while Doherty and Pence took good care of the defensive operations.

The game went on at a speedy clip for more than six minutes before the first goal. Griffiths broke the ice, by sending one in 6.36. Williams tied the count a minute later. Davies then got one, after which Alexander again knotted the score. Davies and Harkins each counted, after which the period ended.

As the second opened Harkins negotiated a brace, and Williams followed with two. Harkins then poked one in, and with only a few minutes to go Alexander made it 5 to 7, by getting one by Pence's pads.

In the final stanza Griffiths hammered one through and Williams made his fourth of the night. There was no further scoring. The lineup and score:

LOWELL	SALEM
Davies 1r	1r Alexander
Harkins 2r	2r Williams
Griffith c	c Hardy
Dorothy b	b Morrison
Pence g	g Lovegreen

Won by Caged by Time

FIRST PERIOD

Lowell	Griffith	6.36
Salem	Williams	1.37
Lowell	Davies	2.25
Salem	Alexander	.35
Lowell	Davies	1.24
Lowell	Harkins	1.51

SECOND PERIOD

Lowell	Harkins	1.22
Lowell	Harkins	.21
Salem	Williams	1.04
Salem	Williams	2.51
Lowell	Harkins	7.01
Salem	Alexander	1.35

THIRD PERIOD

Lowell	Griffith	1.48
Salem	Williams	10.03

Summary: Score, Lowell 8, Salem 6. Rushes, Davies 8, Alexander 9. Stops, Pence 36, Lovegreen 40. Fouls, Hardy 2. Referee, Knowlton.

WORCESTER WINS

WORCESTER, March 18.—The locals won over New Bedford here last night, 5 to 4. The Whalers had two in and out drives. Conley in goal was the star performer of the contest and his work was a contributing factor in the victory. The score:

WORCESTER	NEW BEDFORD
Taylor 1r	1r Duggan
Higgins 2r	2r Hart
Muirhead c	c Dufresne
Donnelly b	b Gardner
Conley g	g Jette

Summary: Score, Worcester 5, New Bedford 3. Rushes: Taylor 9, Duggan 3. Goals, Hart 1, Gardner 1, Duggan 1, Dufresne 1, Higgins 3, Taylor 1, Muirhead 1. Stops, Conley 69, Jette 44. Fouls, Taylor, Duggan, Dufresne and Gardner. Referee, Burkett. Timer, Dowd.

GOLD BUGS BEATEN

FALL RIVER, March 18.—The league leaders went down to defeat here last night when the Tigers won, 6 to 3. G. Hart had a flashy rally in the final period and his production was three goals, the winning margin of the game. The work of Hart came at a time when the count stood three all, and the second rush of the Tigers brought the big house of 2000 fans to its feet as he reeled off his trio of curtain drives. It was a fast game all the way. Both goal men had a hard but successful night. The score:

PROVIDENCE	FALL RIVER
R. Williams 1r	1r Pierce
Thompson 2r	2r G. Hart
Evans c	c Jean
Lyons b	b Cusick
Hueffner g	g Blount

Summary: Score, Fall River 6, Providence 3. Rushes: Pierce 8, Williams 4. Goals, Hart 4, Pierce 1, foul in goal by New Bedford, Thompson 3. Stops, Blount 72, Hueffner 68. Referee, Carroll. Timer, Walsh.

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Providence	55	46	54.5
Fall River	56	49	53.3
Salem	55	51	51.9
Lowell	51	50	50.5
Worcester	51	50	50.5
New Bedford	47	56	45.6

WHERE THEY PLAY TONIGHT

Worcester at Salem.
Fall River at Providence.

CRESCENT A. A.
Johnny Downes
vs. Young Rector
Young Avila
vs. Mikey Devine
AND TWO OTHER BOUTS
TONIGHT

POLO
Worcester vs. Lowell
Crescents vs. Spindle City
CRESCENT RINK
FRIDAY NIGHT

SUNDAY SPORTS BILL PASSED BY SENATE

BOSTON, March 18.—The state senate yesterday, by a standing vote of 21 to 6, passed to be engrossed, the bill to permit Sunday sports between 2 and 6 p. m. in cities and towns which decide to accept this Sunday law amendment.

On motion of Senator Hardy of Huntington an emergency preamble amendment was voted. The preamble cannot be attached, however, until the enactment stage and then only by a two-thirds vote of each branch.

The preamble is offered in anticipation of an effort of opponents of the legislation to suspend its operation, for the present year at least, by the filing of a referendum petition for a vote of the people at the next state election. The bill at present permits authorities to designate where sports may take place and does not require participants to obtain permits each week.

By a voice vote the senate ordered to a third reading a bill to allow the city of Boston to borrow outside the debt limit to the extent of $5,000,000 to improve the North End district of the city.

Without debate or discussion the senate accepted the adverse report of the committee on metropolitan affairs on the bill for an investigation as to the responsibility of the strike of the Boston Policemen's union.

By a vote of 19 to 17 the senate refused to amend the fireman's two-platoon law to allow chiefs to call out all men in times of "grave emergency." The law allows the men to be called out only during "conflagrations."

The senate, by a rollcall vote of 22 to 13, reconsidered its vote of Tuesday whereby it rejected the bill to permit the city of Boston to appoint women as police officers. The bill was then ordered to a third reading without opposition.

The committee on rules of the two branches, sitting jointly, reported "ought not to be adopted" on the order for an opinion of the supreme court on the authority of the state legislature to make laws for the manufacture and sale of light wines and beers. The dissenters are Senators McKnight, Prescott and Gibbs and Representatives Young, Austin and Haynes.

WINNERS IN CITY LEAGUE BOWLING

The K. of C. bowlers and the Middlesex five were the winners in the City league clashes on the local alleys last evening. The rolling of Bernadini and O. Brun featured. Scores, together with other games rolled this week not appearing in these columns, follow:

K. of C.—Sullivan 318, Sweeney 314, Bernadini 335, McQuaid 323, Devlin 351; totals 1641.

B. & M.—Martel 303, Kloby 311, O'Day 277, Robinson 322, Schonborn 320; totals 1533.

White Ways—Kelley 292, Seigal 286, Curry 270, Brigham 308, Griffin 286; totals 1443.

Middlesex—Kane 262, Burns 294, Moulton 303, Perrin 311, O. Brun 333; totals 1503.

Lawrence A.A.

Married Men—Broderlow 257, Callahan 291, Hickey 257, Lorgan 272, Davis, Sr., 282; totals 1359.

Single Men—O'Brien 237, Lowney 240, Davis, Jr., 267, St. John 237, A. Lowney 270; totals 1251.

Y.M.C.A. Dormitory League

Pickles—Andromedas 268, Atwood 258, Garnett 237, Neff 270, MacGregor 261; totals 1294.

Braves—Nichols 237, Jordan 217, Pooser 137, Shaber 192, Livingston 224; totals 1077.

Tigers—Southern 233, Diamon 253, Putnam 245, McIntyre 267, Douglas 230; totals 1241.

Ramblers—Childs 262, Wilson 252, Keough 211, McMaster 254, Johnson 245; totals 1254.

Kittredge's League

Fairviews—Jones 286, Goff 255, O'Neil 315, Maloney 271, Kilroy 304; total 1431.

Wolves—Kelly 301, Louchran 260, Nugent 327, E. Ouimette 256, Grady 270; total, 1414.

Red Wings—Prescott 308, Donahue 274, Lynch 288, Curtin 312, Hayden 327; total, 1521.

Olympics—Taylor 283, Lyness 331, S. Silcox 263, Sheppard 276, B. Silcox 293; total 1436.

M. T. S.—Bowers 214, McGovern 251, Eastham 295, Powers 289, Finnegan 274; total, 1383.

Milkmen—Brown 276, Dooley 313, Dean 280, Bailey 270, Peabody 294; total, 1433.

Boulgers—Whitelock 342, Desrosier 270, King 291, Panton 293, Thurbor 266; total, 1462.

Other Games

Silk Girls—Catterall 212, Breen 196, Kelley 210, Boyle 233, Sargent 261; total, 1142.

Hall Room Girls—Lord 206, Dowd 245, Gallagher 203, Conlon 233, Hall 239; total, 1126.

WILL BOX WILDE

Frankie Daly Anxious To Hook Up With Englishman

Jimmy Wilde, British flyweight champion, expects to stay in America two months more. He has become acclimated and is fighting at his best. His next opponent may be Frankie Daly, the sensational Staten Island warsman, who scales 116 pounds ringside. The English champ has beaten four mediocre bantams such as Babe Asher, Mickey Russell, Patsy Wallace and Frankie Mason, but he was trounced by Jack Sharkey in his first bout in America.

Promoters want the little Englishman to exhibit his best tricks against a formidable opponent. It is a fact that he was not extended by Asher, Russell, Wallace or Mason. George M. Lawrence, who managed Harry Wills and Sam McVey when he came here from Australia several years ago, has Daly in charge.

Daly's record in the ring and Uncle Sam's arena speaks volumes for his prowess. Sharkey, who outslugged Wilde in Milwaukee several weeks ago, was flattened by Daly in a Brooklyn ring just before the Frawley law passed out in New York state. Daly applied the sleep potion to the gritty Italian in four rounds. When Uncle Sam issued a call for volunteers to help beat the Hun, Daly did not try to duck under his arm but rushes off to enlist.

After the armistice was signed Daly went to Australia, where he made a big hit by beating four good boys. The best of the quartet he took into camp was Jermito, a Filipino featherweight, in 20 rounds. Jermito challenged Johnny Kilbane but when Daly got through with him, he said he had enough of American fisticuffs.

Daly came back from abroad two weeks ago. As soon as he landed Lawrence showed him several offers contained in telegrams from various sections of the country.

Before he meets Wilde, the Staten Islander will box Joe Lynch ten rounds in Detroit March 31.

Daly is 23 years old and carries a knockout in either hand.

SCALDED TO DEATH

Nurse Held in Connection With Death of Patient

DEDHAM, March 18.—Miss Margaretta E. Coumans, a nurse employed at the Wiswall sanatorium at Wellesley, was held for the grand jury on a charge of manslaughter after a hearing in the district court yesterday, in connection with the death of Mrs. Mary C. Lotz, a patient, last November. The report of the medical examiner showed that Mrs. Lotz was scalded to death while being given a bath. It is charged that Miss Coumans was responsible for failure to turn off the hot water.

CURRENT NEWS IN VERSE AND VIEWS

The Browns from old St. Louis, writers say,
On Sunday in a special suit will play.
Why not wear frocks, as preachers do today?
And yet from churches that might pull away.

Of gentle spring full many signs are here;
Kids, skipping ropes, and marbles now appear.
The hurdy-gurdy's tune will soon be near,
But gone the rampant goat that meant bock beer.

Josephus tells us, if the league we'd shun
To build the biggest navy 'neath the sun;
All right, Josephus, but when that is done,
John Bull will straightway build a bigger one.

While every home throughout the country has
Some instrument which turns out well-known jazz,
'Twill soon be time for circus p'raders bazz;
We wonder, will they give the jazz the "raz."

John Barleycorn is dead; that Chopin strain
For him has sounded; 'neath the sod he's lain.
But though his body moulders and is twain,
Rhode Island yet may dig him up again.

Just as our bungalow is under way
And higher rent we will not have to pay,
The carpenters just up and walk away.
They want more money—such is life today.

NEW FIELD OF SPORT IS OPENING UP FROM INDUSTRIAL ATHLETICS

Combining play with work and the encouragement of athletics among workingmen of large industrial concerns are the prime ideals of the American Industrial Athletic association.

It is developing a field of sport heretofore untouched.

The rapid progress of the organization is due in large measure to W. J. Cahill, president of the association. He played baseball on the sandlots of Boston and was a leader in all branches of sports from marbles to football in his neighborhood as a boy. He now lives in Akron, Ohio, where he is interested in the manufacturing business.

Under his guidance the Industrial's membership has increased 300 per cent. Cahill handled the A.I.A.A.'s first track meet at Gary, Ind., on July 4, 1919, and put it over big.

Just now members of the association are looking forward to the big sport carnival, scheduled for Akron, O., on March 11 to 13. The meet will consist of bowling, basketball and indoor track events. It provides the only bona fide industrial championships in the country—a tournament for workingmen only.

Manufacturing concerns will turn over three of their large clubhouses to the visitors.

Walter Camp, football expert; Billy Evans, major league umpire, and Martin Delaney, physical director of the Chicago Athletic club, will be chief speakers at the convention.

The movement to establish organized sports for workingmen is one of the most sweeping strokes for better athletics ever inaugurated.

The association is in its infancy.

With such ideals back of it further growth is an assured fact, and a solider foundation for all athletics is certain to result.

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Cured His Rupture

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COMETS OF HUMOR

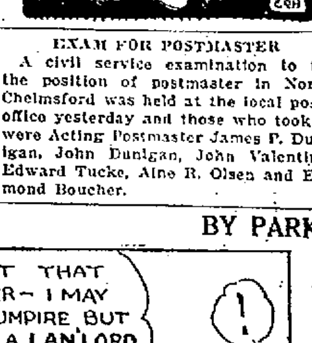
BY O. B. JOYFUL

There are comets of humor, as there are comets of the sky. Both have their orbits, well defined. Comets come back, in age after age; and so do jokes. The jokes we read when we were young—well, let us consider this one:

"The cup that cheers must be a noisy piece of crockery."

It was 25 years ago that that first attracted my attention, in an old newspaper long ago discontinued. It is just the other day that it grinned up impishly at me from the bottom of a column in another newspaper.

A comet of humor, to be sure, with a periodicity of a quarter-century.



EXAM FOR POSTMASTER

A civil service examination to fill the position of postmaster in North Chelmsford was held at the local postoffice yesterday and those who took it were Acting Postmaster James P. Dunigan, John Dunigan, John Valentine, Edward Tucke, Aine R. Olsen and Edmond Boucher.

O. U. BUSHER — The Umps' Not That Bad — BY PARKS

SIMS CONCLUDES HIS TESTIMONY

Presents 13 Specific Counts in His Indictment Charging Mistakes and Costly Delays

Bitter Arraignment of the Navy Department's Conduct of the War

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Concluding his long arraignment of the navy department's conduct of the war, Rear Admiral Sims laid before the senate investigating committee today 12 specific counts in his indictment charging mistakes and costly delays.

Summary of Charges

The admiral's summary of his charges follow:

"That in spite of the fact that war had been going on for nearly three years, and our entry into it had been imminent at least from February 2, 1917, the vessels of the navy were not ready for war service when the United States entered.

That the first few months after America entered the war, were extremely critical ones for the whole allied cause, due to the success of enemy submarines.

"That this critical situation was made clear to the navy department a few days after America entered the war, and repeatedly thereafter by cables and letters, supported by independent advices to the government from the American ambassador in London and by Mr. Hoover.

"That the navy department supplied me with no plans or policy covering our participation in the war for three months after our entry therein.

"That having information as to the critical situation of the allies, the navy department did not promptly assist them, and thereby prolonged the war by delaying the sending of anti-submarine vessels, none reaching Europe for nearly a month after war was declared, and two and a half months elapsing before 30 vessels arrived.

"That the navy department failed to appreciate the military value of time.

"That the navy department violated fundamental military principles in attempting to formulate war plans of operation without having sufficient knowledge of the whole situation.

"That the department's representative with the allied admiralties was not supported during the most critical months of the war, either by adequate personnel or by adequate forces that could have been supplied.

"That the navy department violated fundamental military principles in dispensing forces away from the critical area in order to meet diversions of the enemy.

"That the navy department, in the first months of the war, attempted the direction of details although 3000 miles distant from the scenes of active operations where the situation was changing from day to day.

"That the navy department, in not clearly defining the responsibility and delegating authority to its representative in Europe, failed to follow sound principles, common alike to the business and military professions.

"That the navy department by controlling the operations and movements of certain forces within the war area, violated the fundamental military principle of unity of command.

"That the navy department failed to keep its representative abroad completely informed as to its plans affecting dispatch and disposition of forces in the war zone and frequently reached decisions in such matters through information gained from sources other than its representative in the war zone."

200 Pages of Testimony

Admiral Sims said he was not insensible to the "splendid work done by the navy at large or the various bureaus and other offices of the navy department."

His statements were directed "almost entirely" to pointing out defects in the administration of the navy department during the first few months of the war, he said.

The thought would occur to many persons, Admiral Sims said, that "hindsight" is better than foresight and that it is always easy, in the light of hindsight, to point out errors committed in any undertaking. But the issue under investigation was too important, he added, to be affected by such theories.

"Hindsight must not be blindsight," he declared.

Admiral Sims' direct testimony filled nearly 200 large printed pages and it took him nearly 16 hours to read it. His cross-examination by members of the committee probably will be started Friday, after which members of his staff will be heard before Secretary Daniels and officials of the navy department are called.

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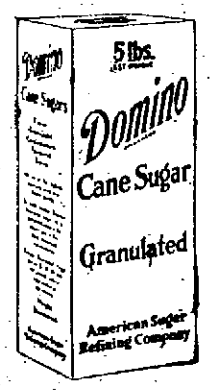

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BOY KICKED TO DEATH BY SCHOOL MATES

PUEBLO, Colo., March 18.—Ted, the 11-year-old son of Mrs. H. Kuykendall, in a statement yesterday shortly before his death charged he had been kicked and injured by five school boys. Physicians say the lad died of these injuries.

Behind the death of the lad is a school-boy feud. Ted's mother is poor. His clothes earned for him the name of "Poverty" among schoolmates. Despite handicaps, the boy led his classes. This is believed to have created jealousy.

Ted says he "whipped" two boys of his own age Thursday when they jeered at his clothes. Friday five older boys attacked him and kicked him into unconsciousness. Neighbors found him behind a billboard.

An investigation will be started today by a coroner's jury. Names of the boys were revealed in the statement made to Mrs. Mattie Hart, the victim's nurse, and Rev. F. W. Beach, a local pastor, but are being withheld until after the inquest.

ASSESSORS SEND ANNUAL NOTICE

The local board of assesors is sending out its annual notice to persons, firms and corporations subject to taxation in this city, to bring to the assessors on or before May 15 true lists of property owned by them so that it may be assessed.

The notice applies to both residents as well as out-of-town persons owning property here. In the case of residents a true list is required of all their polls and personal estate not exempt from taxation of which they are possessed on April 1, and in the case of non-residents and foreign corporations there must be submitted a true list of all their personal estate in this city not exempt from taxation. Blank forms suitable for these returns may be had upon application at the assessors' office or will be mailed to any address upon application.

Prominent Peabody Man Found Dead

PEABODY, March 18.—Thomas H. O'Shea, a leather manufacturer widely known in the trade, and the principal real estate owner of this city, was found dead in his bed today. He was 53 years of age. The medical examiner reported death due to natural causes.

Leaves Berlin With Armed Forces

AMSTERDAM, March 18.—General von Luettwitz, who commanded the troops which supported the Kapp regime, has left Berlin with his armed forces, according to a telephone message received from Berlin this morning.

New Hair Growth After BALDNESS

HAIR GROWN ON MR. BRITTAIN'S BALD HEAD BY INDIANS' MYSTERIOUS HAIR GROWER

My head at the top and back was absolutely bald. The scalp was shiny. An expert said that as he thought the hair roots were extinct, and there was no hope of my ever having a new hair growth.

Yet now, at an age over 56, I have a luxuriant growth of soft, strong, lustrous hair! No trace of baldness. The pictures shown here are from my photographs.

From recent photo.

Indians' Secret of Hair Growth

Photo taken bald.

At a time when I had become discouraged at trying various hair lotions, tonics, specialists' treatments, etc., I came across, in my travels, a Cherokee Indian "medicine man" who had an elixir that he asseverated would grow my hair. Although I had but little faith, I gave it a trial. To my amazement a light fuzz soon appeared. It developed, day by day, into a healthy growth, and ere long my hair was as prolific as in my youthful days.

That I was astonished and happy is expressing my state of mind mildly.

Obviously, the hair roots had not been dead, but were dormant in the scalp, awaiting the fertilizing potency of the mysterious pomade.

I negotiated for and came into possession of the principle for preparing this mysterious elixir, now called Kotalko, and later had the recipe put into practical form by a chemist.

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How YOU May Grow YOUR Hair

My honest belief is that hair roots rarely die even when the hair falls out through dandruff, fever, excessive dryness or other disorders. I have been told by experts that often when hair falls out the roots become imbedded within the scalp, covered by hard skin, so that they remain for a time like bulbs or seeds in a bottle which will grow when fertilized. Shampoos (which contain alkalis) and hair lotions which contain alcohol are enemies to the hair, as they dry it, making it brittle. Kotalko contains those elements of nature which give new vitality to the scalp and hair.

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VAN CAMP'S MILK, can ..... 15¢

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LARGE PRUNES, lb. ..... 25¢

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LIBBY'S TOMATO SOUP, can ..... 10¢

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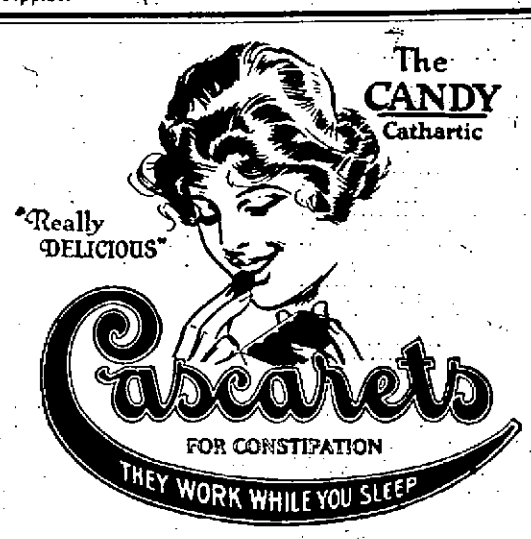

LIBERTY BOND COUPON THEFT UNSOLVED

Mystery still surrounds the theft of Liberty bond coupons, valued at $1200, which were taken from a counter in the banking rooms of the Lowell Trust Co., Wednesday afternoon. Supt. Welch said today that despite the fact that some of the coupons were returned to the bank yesterday by unknown persons, he intends to continue his investigations until the affair had been thoroughly cleared up.

The coupons returned yesterday were left in the banking rooms by unknown persons. They were in two sealed envelopes, and left there at different times during the day. It is said that other coupons were found in a down town restaurant and returned to the bank.

As all the banks in the city have been notified of the numbers of the stolen coupons it would be almost impossible for the thief to realize anything on them should he attempt to dispose of them in local banks.

WILL GIVE LENTEN ORGAN RECITAL

Miss Ella L. Gale will give the Lenten organ recital under the auspices of the Middlesex Women's club music committee, at the First Congregational church Saturday afternoon. The attendance at the first recital was restricted somewhat by unfavorable weather, but with better weather anticipated this week, it is hoped the many people will take advantage of the opportunity to hear an educational program of music. Everyone is welcome to attend these recitals and no fee is charged.

Miss Gale has selected the following program:

Fantasia in G Minor ..... J. S. Bach
Andante-Allegro (Sonata in C Minor) Theo. Salomon
Mountain Idyl .... Oscar E. Schminke
Tocatta in E..... Homer N. Bartlett
Romance Sans Paroles..Joseph Bonnet
Variations de Concert..Joseph Bonnet
Rimembranza ..... Pietro A. Yon
Minuetto Antico e Musetta. Pietro A. Yon
Marche Triomphale ..... Dubois

Another Strike in Fall River

FALL RIVER, March 18.—Marshall's Incorporated, a large hat factory here, was crippled when 300 union employes went on strike this morning. A few hands, not affiliated with the union, remained at work, but production has virtually stopped. Treasurer Edward Barker says that the employes have demanded a wage increase of between 40 and 50 per cent and he has refused to meet the demand. He said further that he would hold no further conferences with the employes or their union representatives.

FALL RIVER, March 18.—Action of the local ring spinning operatives in calling a strike here Monday, for a readjustment of wages, was endorsed at a meeting of the emergency committee of the United Textile Workers of America, in New York city yesterday, First Vice President Thomas F. McMahon reported to the Fall River union members on his arrival here this morning. There has been little change in the situation since Wednesday. One of the Granite mills has been forced to close because of shortage of yarn and the American Printing Co. plant is considerably crippled, union headquarters reported this morning. In all, seven mills are now idle because of the strike. President Golden is not in the city.

TYNGSBORO LINE IS STILL CLOSED

Mr. Thomas Lees, manager of the Lowell district of the Eastern Massachusetts street railway stated today that an immediate opening of the Tyngsboro line should not be expected. The track in this direction was particularly hard hit because no cars were run out that way since last fall and consequently, the rails have not been cleared at all during the winter.

Since the time the railway refused to run cars on that route when jitneys competed on the same road no service has been maintained but because of the new jitney regulations put in force on March 1st which do away with such competition, officials of the company have ordered a crew of men to the scene to open up the line once more.

This morning a large squad of trackmen attacked the mounds of snow and ice covering the Tyngsboro rails above Stevens' corner. It will probably be a week before there will be any attempt to run cars to Tyngsboro, but if the weather becomes warmer the men will be aided in their work.

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MEN WEAR PETTICOATS—NOT IN U. S.

Nature has evened things up a bit in the Batan region of the Balkans, where skirts are worn by the men. The couple in the above picture, though but 15 and 16 years old, are husband and wife. The wife is togged out in hoop skirts and richly embroidered waist with sort of a cuirass composed of gold coins. The husband has petticoat under his outside skirt and a waist of linen and lace.

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Years of study and observation convinced him it would safely, quickly and surely stop a bad cough and give instant relief in Bronchial Asthma. Money back if it fails. Guaranteed harmless. At all druggists.

Lowell Pharmacy and Liggett's can supply you.—Adv.

DANCE IN CHELMSFORD

A successful dancing party was held last evening in the town hall, Chelmsford Centre, the affair being conducted under the auspices of Chelmsford post, 312, American Legion. The decorations were very attractive and the program was one of the best provided in a long time. Those responsible for the success of the event were Eric Barker, general manager; Nelson Silk, floor director; Harold B. Corson, Claude Gladu, Willis McComb, James Kibord, Jr. and John Garvey.

Sure Relief

BELL-ANS FOR INDIGESTION

HOUSE IN FAVOR OF DAYLIGHT SAVING

BOSTON, March 18.—The "Daylight Saving" bill was ordered to a third reading in the Massachusetts house of representatives yesterday afternoon by a standing vote of 136 to 41. An attempt by the opponents of the measure to have it referred to the next general court was defeated by a standing vote of 126 to 54.

The measure has still another stage in the lower branch after which it will go before the senate. Although the bill provides that "daylight saving" shall begin the last Sunday of the present month, it will be necessary for the legislature to attach an emergency preamble by a two-thirds vote of the members of each branch present and voting. Yesterday's vote in the house indicates that it will be possible for the friends of the bill in the lower branch to attach the preamble if there is no change in the attitude of the members. Not until the senate acts can the fate of the proposition be determined.

Reverse Action on Insurance Bill

The house, on a voice vote, rejected the bill to permit insurance companies to invest their capital and reserve in national banks, savings banks, co-operative banks and the savings departments of trust companies. This is the measure which occasioned a sensational debate in the senate about two weeks ago, when Senator Reed condemned the measure and criticised Bank Commissioner Thorndike.

Although the house had previously passed the measure without debate, it yesterday supported a motion by Mr. Briggs of Amesbury to strike out the enacting clause. This is an expedient seldom resorted to.

The bill to reduce from 10 days to seven the time following an injury when compensation may begin to an injured employe was discussed. It had already been substituted for an adverse committee report. Mr. Abbott of Haverhill declared that the bill was "substituted last week by mistake" and that organized labor "had an understanding it would not support it." Mr. Doyle of New Bedford said three representatives or organized labor had agreed to reference to the next legislature. Mr. Harrington of Fall River declared no representative of organized labor had a right "to trade off the votes of members."

Reference to the next general court was defeated by a rollcall vote of 112 to 83. No vote was reached on the question of ordering the bill to a third reading.

Bill to Define "Net Income"

The taxation committee reported a bill to define the term "net income" as used in the income tax law, to be such income as is required to be returned to the national authorities under the national income tax law, minus the income from United States securities and plus income from corporations, associations, partnerships and trusts which is taxable under Massachusetts law.

A bill from the committee on agriculture makes it more feasible to recover damages for injury or death to domestic animals by dogs.

On the first call of the calendar the house accepted the adverse report on the petition for an act to make it a crime for street railway employes to strike.

The speaker announced that Thomas D. Collins of Medford and Edward J. Harrington of New Bedford, who have been elected to take the places of deceased members, had been sworn in.

The committees on railroads and street railways, sitting jointly, reported a resolve for further investigation of a comprehensive rapid transit system for the Dorchester district, by the department of public utilities and the transit department of Boston as a joint commission, report to be made to the legislature not later than Jan. 10, 1921, an allowance of $25,000 being made for expenses.

The committee on public institutions reported a bill for militar drills and athletic sports for inmates of penal institutions.

Leave to withdraw was reported by the committee on legal affairs on the petition for licensing janitors of apartment houses of three or more apartments.

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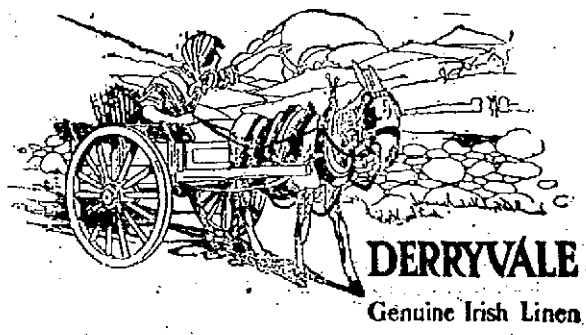

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2x2 yd. Scalloped All Linen Set with ½ doz. Napkins to match, value $19.00, **$15.00**

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Pure Irish Linen Scalloped Cloths, 2¼ yards in diameter, fine heavy quality. Value $18.50, **$15.00** Each

Value $22.50 .....**$18.00** Each

We will stamp one initial free of charge on cloths and napkins during this sale. You can also purchase pattern cloths or napkins separate, in dozen or half dozen lots.

Heavy all pure linen double damask, 70 in. wide, in rose, lily of the valley, and chrysanthemum patterns, $1.00 value, for this sale, **$3.50** Yard

One lot of very heavy double damask napkins, 24x24 in. square, $15.00 value....**$11.50** Doz.

Derryvale mercerized table cloths, pure bleached fine quality, handsome designs. Value $4.75 and $5.50 .....**$4.00 and $4.75** Each

H. S. Mercerized Sets with cloth and ½ doz. napkins to match, value $6.00, very special at, **$4.25** Set

18x54 Lace Scarfs .....**$1.29 to $3.98**

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Now that Dr. Carey, kidney and bladder specialist, has retired from active practice, he generously warns people that even the smallest symptoms of kidney trouble should have serious attention.

Backache, for instance, puffiness under or specks floating before the eyes, heavy feet and dry skin, are also danger signals.

"Thousands die yearly because they neglect their kidneys," said Dr. Carey. "and I feel upon retiring that I should tell all who even suspect kidney or bladder trouble about my prescription, Marshroot, which, during my active practice, has cured thousands of all kinds of kidney ailments."

This prescription has been given to pharmacists generally throughout America and is dispensed by them under the name Dr. Carey's Marshroot, a name that every sufferer from kidney trouble should remember. Fred Howard can supply you.—Adv.

HELD ST. PATRICK'S DAY OBSERVANCE

A St. Patrick's day social and dancing party was enjoyed by the girls of the Community Service club at their rooms in the Runels building last evening. The assembly hall was appropriately decorated with shamrocks and other designs of green crepe paper, the work of Miss Ethel Sabourin, Miss Catherine O'Neil and Miss Ethel Lowney.

A delightful entertainment included Irish dances by Miss Mae McDonald and songs by Miss Clementine Verloove, Miss Sadie Melancon, Andrew Kelliher and Warren Kane.

The primary contests for club officers will be held on March 30, when the following list of nominees will be voted on: For president, May Hewson, Ida Zall, Mildred Cox; vice president, Sadie Smith, Ruth Hartigan, Florence Seton, Lillian Reneaud; secretary, Ellen Ohlson, Gertrude McCrossman, Catherine O'Neil, Helen Ready; treasurer, Hilda Pearson, Noreen Graham, Alice O'Brien, Ethel Sabourin.

A mass meeting of club girls will be held next Sunday afternoon in the interests of Lowell Community Service, Inc. Otto Hockmeyer and William N. Goodell will speak and Mrs. Nano Gallagher Leahey will sing.

IRISH CONCERT AND DANCE BY Y.M.C.I.

An Irish concert and a dance held under the auspices of the Young Men's Catholic Institute in their hall in Stackpole street last evening was the occasion of a very enjoyable time for a goodly number of Y.M.C.I. members and their friends. The following young people took part in the concert: Misses Geneva Paul, Sadie Kenny, Rosetta Lafferty, and Charles Keyes, Thomas Carlin, Frank O'Neill, William Collins, William Moss, Charles McGovern, and Andrew Doyle. The musical director was John McCaffrey.

The officers were: John O'Connell, general manager; Frank O'Neill, treasurer; William Collins, secretary; James Gillogly, floor director; Henry Corey, chief aid.

SCHOOL TEACHERS HAVE JOLLY PARTY

Teachers of the local high school held a merry get-together in the school hall in Kirk street last evening to celebrate their achievements this winter on the bowling alleys. Prizes were awarded to the winning team and the surrounding program included a full-course banquet, music and a number of games. The members of the winning bowling team, Miss Martin, Miss Tobin, Miss Killpartrick, Miss Chapman and Mr. Pyne, were awarded appropriate prizes, most of them accompanied with bits of wit expressed in poetry. Henry H. Harris, headmaster, was among those present to enjoy the evening's fun and Donald McIntire, physical instructor, was in general direction of the evening's arrangements.

DANCING PARTY BY MOTORCYCLE CLUB

Lincoln hall was the scene, last evening of the first annual dancing party of the Spindle City Motorcycle club. The dance order was of 20 numbers with many extras and the members of the club assert that it was the best time in the history of the club. The preparations and arrangements were up to the minute and thus contributed greatly to the enjoyment of the party. The dancers departed at midnight.

The following were in charge: Morton V. Loud, general manager; Frank Fancuf, assistant general manager; Charles Lane, floor director; James Blackstock, assistant floor director; and Forrest E. Drake, chief aid.

Being their first dance the members were in high glee because of such unbounded success and are grateful to their many friends who attended and whose enthusiasm made manifest their appreciation.

Why Measles May Be Dangerous

This is No. 3 of a series of advertisements, prepared by a competent physician, explaining how certain diseases which attack the air passages—such as Pneumonia, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Measles or even a long continued Cold—often leave these organs in an inflamed, congested state, thus affording a favorable foothold for invading germs. And how Vick's VapoRub may be of value in this condition.

Few of us escape measles—it is one of the commonest of childhood diseases. Every mother knows the symptoms, but the mistake that most mothers make is in failing to realize that the child is not fully recovered after the eruption and fever disappear. The air passages are still inflamed and if this inflammation is not cleared up, the air passages may be weakened, thus paving the way for pneumonia or serious disease of the lungs.

Nightly applications of Vick's VapoRub will aid nature in relieving this inflammation. Because Vicks acts locally by stimulation thru the skin to draw out the inflammation, attract the blood away from the congested spots and relieve the cough. In addition, the medicinal ingredients of Vicks are vaporized by the body heat. These vapors are breathed in all night long, bringing the medication to bear directly upon the inflamed areas.

Children's digestions are delicate—easily disturbed by too much "dosing." Vicks, therefore, is particularly recommended since it is externally applied and so can be used often and freely without the slightest harmful effects.

Vicks should be rubbed in over the throat and chest until the skin is red—then spread on thickly and covered with hot flannel cloths. Leave the clothing loose around the neck and the bed clothes arranged in the form of a funnel so the vapors arising may be freely inhaled. If the cough is annoying, swallow a small bit of Vicks the size of a pea.

Samples to new users will be sent free on request to the Vick Chemical Company, 233 Broad Street, Greensboro, N. C.

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Report Incomes of $1,000,000

CHICAGO, March 18.—Incomes of $1,000,000 or more for 1919, were reported by 731 individuals and corporations in the Chicago district, officials of the internal revenue department announced today. Thirty-one Chicagoans were added last year to the ranks of those whose incomes exceed a million dollars. One corporation was reported to have paid $6,000,000 as the first instalment of $24,000,000 due the government as income tax. Another corporation's quarterly payment amounted to $2,500,000.

American Steamer on Fire

PANAMA, March 18.—The American steamship Olockson, from Philadelphia, March 2 for Vladivostok, caught fire Saturday off Cape Mala, after leaving Balboa. The Olockson was towed back to Balboa harbor by a government tug and scuttled.

The Olockson, a vessel of 6076 gross tons, is owned by the United States Shipping board and operated by the Pacific Steamship Co. Radio advices to the naval communication service in New York state that she was loaded with gasoline.

Chancing

That's what you're doing every time you take new unknown remedies, for which marvelous claims are made. Your health is too important to risk in questionable experiments, especially when your druggist always has the tried and tested "L. F." Atwood's Medicine on hand. This worthy old remedy well deserves the confidence that 60 years of unchanging quality have established.

At the first signs of stomach disorder, biliousness, or headache, one or two teaspoonfuls of "L. F." will quickly restore normal conditions to your digestive organs. Small doses, taken regularly, will maintain a healthy condition that will ward off colds and disease. Get a bottle today and keep a supply always on hand. Large bottle, 50 cents, or a generous free sample from the "L. F." Medicine Co., Portland, Maine.

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It is reported that the ex-kaiser has got his 16,000th tree. Can it be that he means to start a woodyard?

The senate is holding up the affairs of state in refusing to confirm the appointment of Bainbridge Colby.

Bandits continue to rob banks and escape in automobiles. How about using this fact as an argument for a return to the horse-drawn vehicle?

Lowell did splendid work in the Irish bond drive. This city has always been a leader in subscribing to funds for the Irish cause. It is hoped this will be the last appeal.

Herr Kapp wore the headgear of German chancellor only a comparatively short time. He then "decided" to resign. Steel and bullets are doing most of the deciding in Berlin just now.

Canada is not inclined to yield her place in the League of Nations to admit the United States. In that case, her best plan would be to sever the connection with Britain and enter as an independent nation.

It is rather late in the season to talk of increasing the price of hard coal, as proposed if the demands of the anthracite coal miners be granted. Why should not the operators be forced to stand the increase without passing it on to the consumer.

Another blizzard sweeps the Dakotas—the worst storm in more than 30 years. Please, Mister Weather Man, steer it away from this winter-sick section of the country. We could not stand another one without thinking you biased. New England is beautiful in springtime; give us a chance!

The ice in the Merrimack river at Manchester has begun to move out, tearing dam flashboards along with it. The river is going to be worth looking at within a few days, but will someone please take down the wind-breakers on the Pawtucket bridge so people of ordinary height may peek over the top?

Chemnitz proclaims a republic and announces a "committee of action" which includes 10 communists, six independent socialists, four majority socialists and one democrat. Chemnitz will get plenty of action, all right, all right, but who wants to change places with the lone democrat?

Attorney General Palmer's plan to cut down the cost of living is to work 10 per cent more and spend 10 per cent less. That is a good rule for those who have been taking things easy and spending freely; but there are people who cannot afford to work harder or live more frugally than they have been living.

Unless taxi fares are reduced in Paris, drivers of such vehicles there threaten to strike. Novel? Well, rather, but the operators say people will not ride and pay such high fares. The people strike against riding and the chauffeurs threaten to strike to make them ride. Only, the ugly word "strike" is not used when applied to the general public, "boycott" being used instead.

It is certainly time the judges of the superior court received an increase of salary. In 1911, their stipend was fixed at $8000, which today is not worth more than half that amount ten years ago. The state cannot afford to neglect its judiciary which is made up of men of the highest character and ability. The bill providing for an increase should be promptly passed.

In view of the acute housing problem it appears that some form of government aid is necessary in order to enable more people to find comfortable homes. In spite of the high cost of building materials, there are many families who would build homes if they could readily secure the necessary financial assistance. Unless the state adopts some method of advancing loans to the people, the housing problem is not likely to be relieved to any great extent during the coming summer.

If the charges made as to conditions at the Long Island hospital in Boston harbor be true, there is certainly need of a radical shakeup. If human lives were sacrificed to save coal, then the officials responsible should be displaced by others who would rate human life above a little coal, even though there was a shortage of fuel. It is to be hoped the situation has not been as bad as reported.

There is little doubt that the present civil strife in Germany has been instigated by the militaristic element with the hope of restoring monarchy. There will be no proposal to restore the deposed emperor; but undoubtedly an attempt will be made to overthrow the republic, establish a monarchy and proclaim one of the Hohenzollern princes as king. The situation calls for the careful consideration of the allies with the possibility of intervention.

SENATOR WALSH'S POINT

Senator Walsh, in a speech to the senate, pointed out what he felt to be a defect in the League of Nations covenant, in the fact that it has no provision for hearing the claims of subject nationalities for self-government or freedom. Nothing can come before the council except by unanimous consent; and if any people made a demand for freedom from the rule of a power represented in the council, the objection of that power would prevent the appeal from being heard. A reservation covering this point would have removed much of the opposition to the ratification of the treaty by the United States senate.

FAVOR TAX CHANGES

Repeal of the excess profits tax, the surtax and a decrease in the inheritance tax in favor of a consumption tax at a fixed rate for amounts in excess of one dollar, have been favored by the New York Chamber of Commerce which sent a delegation to Washington to impress upon the president the need of such a change. Men of wealth favor the proposed change, as they are subject to many heavy imposts increasing with the amount taxed. The aim of the government in imposing such taxes is to force those who have the money to pay a greater proportion than does the man of moderate means. It is claimed that the proposed change would reduce the high cost of living; but on the other hand, the increased tax on consumption would tend to add to the H.C.L. perhaps as much as the amount of reduction at other points.

The petitioners show that the man who has an income of $5000 per annum would have to work eight days for the government to pay his income tax, whereas the man who has an income of $50,000 would have to work 68 days in order to pay his income tax. That is one of the inequalities which the New York Chamber of Commerce wants removed. The change would naturally be opposed by labor and other organizations which feel that it is right to pile all the burdens possible on the shoulders of capital.

SHAPING THE ISSUES

The Anti-Saloon league announces that in the coming election, it will oppose all candidates who are opposed to prohibition. On the other side, the "wets" are lining up in support of men who favor either the repeal of the Volstead act or a modification of the prohibition amendment.

It is quite likely, therefore, that there will be a complication of issues, inasmuch as the American Federation of Labor has declared that it will sternly oppose every candidate who has a record of opposition to labor.

But as the labor men are also opposed to strict prohibition, their fealty to labor will be severely tested when they find a candidate whose labor record is bad, but who is strongly opposed to prohibition.

Should the League of Nations, the tariff and a few other issues be thrown into the campaign in addition to labor and prohibition, even Chairman Hays of the republican national committee should have all the issues he needs for his national platform.

It seems that in the fight over the League of Nations, prohibition and labor matters, many of the great problems of reconstruction are being lost sight of. It is hoped, however, that the treaty wrangle will be settled in the near future and that congress will then be able to direct more of its time to real business, and especially to the proper launching of our merchant marine into the channels of world commerce.

WHY IT COSTS TO BUILD

The United States Department of Justice is pressing a suit in the federal court of Memphis, Tenn., against the American Hardwood Manufacturers association and 333 of its members.

According to the government, the statistical bureau conducted by the association is, in effect, a medium for boosting and equalizing prices. The association denies this, claiming that its "open competition plan" is a method for keeping members posted as to prices, sales and general conditions in the lumber industry.

Testimony introduced by the government is interesting. The association's own figures were quoted to show that 21 grades of hardwood lumber have advanced in price 147 per cent since the "open competition plan" was begun in January, 1919. Lumber which sold at $100 a year ago, now brings $247.

Letters written by lumbermen to the association headquarters were introduced as evidence. One said:

"Under the old plan," wrote an enthusiastic Alabama member, "it was everyone for himself and prices were not so stable. Under the 'open competition plan,' there seems to be a friendly rivalry to see who can get the best prices."

An Ohio member gratefully wrote that, after ordering 200,000 feet of lumber, one of the association's bulletins arrived, showing that market conditions had changed. So, when the lumber was received, $2 was added to the price.

Another letter reads like a patent medicine testimonial:

"The very first report which we secured under this plan enabled us to increase our price $6 per thousand."

In addition to price-boosting, the government charges that the American Hardwood Manufacturers association sought to limit production and cautioned its members that "co-operation, not competition, is the life of trade."—N.E.A.

KEEPING THE WOLF AWAY

Each week, Metro pays Nazimova $13,000. Geraldine Farrar receives from Goldwyn $10,000 every Saturday. William S. Hart netted more than $900,000 in the past two years and for nine productions in the next two years, he will get $2,250,000. Mary Pickford's income in 1919 was close to the half million mark, the net profit of three pictures she made at $250,000 each.

Many a salaried star in the motion picture world has fared better than Chaplin in the last two years, for since his million-dollar contract was made he has drawn less than half a million, besides paying the cost of his productions. The profits of Norma Talmadge and Anita Stewart in 1918 and 1919 are estimated at something around half a million to each. Theda Bara was receiving $4000 a week when last heard from.

Other filmland stars receive checks ranging from $5000 to the paltry $1000 a week, while leading men and women—and even character actors—have found a silver lining to the threatening high cost of living cloud.

Where is the end? Is this a period of unusual inflation or are such enormous salaries fixed upon a new level to which we must adjust ourselves?

Can we afford to pay a motion picture favorite $13,000 each week and a school teacher less than $2000 a year? Is the amount of money we raise for our clergy a fair example of the value we place upon their teachings and influence in a community? Should Nazimova, with all her charms and powers of interpretation, receive almost $700,000 a year when we hesitate to appropriate even that much for the operation of Lowell's entire public school system for 12 months? We pay the president of the United States $75,000 a year, a mere bagatelle in comparison.

If this is not all inflation, what, please, are to be the new standards by which we may accurately measure the worth of a man or woman to business, to the community and to posterity?

SEEN AND HEARD

But you can't say the weathermaker has been underproducing bad weather.

After reaching the age of 78, Michael Peterson, Collinswood, N. J., learned to read. Now he's a preacher and only 93.

Bernard Baruch insists the Sixty-sixth congress holds the undisputed title of champion non-producer in America.

Lunch at the wake may be properly

charged against the estate as part of the funeral expenses, according to a decision by the court of appeals at Frankfort, Ky.

Harry Lauder said: "The six-hour-a-day man is doing only a half a day's work and should be paid half a day's pay." But Harry Lauder goes right on with his tiring stage efforts, an hour a day, at something like $500 a week.

A favorite mode of suicide among the African tribes who dwell near Lake Nyassa is to wade into the lake and there calmly wait for a man-eating crocodile to come and finish the job. After which there is no need for a coroner.

This is something you may want to clip out before your wife reads the paper:

Pink cheeks may be electrically tattooed on by a machine, but recently invented. They last a lifetime, and won't rub off on your coat collar.

Laughed Too Soon

Tommy came out of a room in which his father was tacking down carpet. He was crying lustily.

"Why, Tommy, what's the matter?" asked his mother.

"P-p-p-p-papa hit his fingers with the hammer," sobbed Tommy.

"Well, you needn't cry at a little thing like that," comforted the mother. "Why didn't you laugh?"

"I did," sobbed Tommy, disconsolate. —The Friend for Boys and Girls.

'Twas Precious Wit

According to tradition the Russian conquest of Finland, now again free, was foretold in jest that soon became earnest by its conqueror, Peter the Great, to his jester, Balakireff. The court fool had vexed the Czar by too impudent a joke, and had been summarily banished with a menacing injunction never to appear on Russian soil again. He disappeared discreetly but one day not long after Peter, glancing out of a window, saw his unmistakable figure and quizzical countenance jogging comfortably by, perched in a country cart. Impulsively he ran down to him and demanded to know why he had been disobeyed.

"I have not disobeyed your majesty," was the answer. "I'm not on Russian soil."

"Not on Russian soil?"

"No, this cartload of earth that I'm sitting on is Swedish soil. I dug it up in Finland only the other day."

Peter laughed.

Balakireff once interceded for the life of a reckless relative, who had offended the Czar and was under sentence of death. As soon as the jester showed himself at court Peter, foreseeing a petition for mercy, roared out angrily: "It's no use your coming here! I swear that I will not grant what you are going to ask!"

Quick as a flash Balakireff dropped to his knees and cried entreatingly: Pete Alexeivitch, I beseech you, put that scamp of a cousin of mine to death!"

All present broke into laughter, in which the Czar, so neatly trapped by his own declaration, presently joined, and Balakireff's cousin kept his head on his shoulders.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Somehow or Other

Somehow or other we can't get along
As well as we know that we ought to,
Somehow or other we manage things wrong
And though we give plenty of thought to
The matter of planning a system of life
With much more of conscience and morals,
Somehow or other we get into strife
And woes, tribulations and quarrels.

Somehow or other we mean to do right
Then fail in the thing we intended!
Somehow or other we row and we fight
Until the whole business is ended;
We make of the world a disorderly sphere
Of antagonistical factions,
Which, somehow or other, consistently queer
Our most philanthropic reactions.

Somehow or other we try to be kind
And somehow or other we botch it.
We mean to see clearly, and then go blind,
We turn a new leaf—and we splotch it;
It's utterly silly, impossible, vain,
This world—if you pause to construe it—
And people can't live through it all and keep sane,
Yet, somehow or other, we do it!
—Berton Braley, in The Home Sector.

LABOR UNION MEETINGS

The weekly meeting of the Building Trades council was held last night in Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street. There was a large attendance and routine business was transacted.

Stationary Engineers

Routine business was transacted at the regular weekly meeting of the Stationary Engineers' union which was held last evening at labor headquarters in Central street.

EAGLES ELECT DELEGATES

Aerie No. 223, Fraternal Order of Eagles held its regular meeting Tuesday evening at Eagles hall with Worthy Pres. David J. Hackett presiding. There was quite a spirited contest on the election of delegates to the state convention which will be held at New Bedford, May 30, 31 and June 1st. The following members were elected: Peter Brady, George W. Carey, Secretary John M. Hogan, and Trustee John J. Driscoll.

Rehearsals are being held weekly for the Aerie's minstrel revue and dance. There were 10 propositions for membership received and 12 members initiated.

Thought She Would Die from Eczema

"I went to Johns Hopkins Hospital. I went to several doctors. I tried other remedies. I thought I would die. D.D.D. cured me after I had given up all hope to ever get well again on earth.—Mrs. Emma Wise, 845 Franklin St., Baltimore.

We ourselves have seen D. D. D. heal so many cases of severe skin trouble that we know it will help you too. In fact we guarantee the first bottle. 35c, 60c and $1.00.

D.D.D.

THE Lotion for Skin Disease

DOWS' TWO DRUG STORES

ALL HIS AILMENTS DISAPPEARED

When He Tried "Fruit-a-tives" or Fruit Liver Tablets

MOUNT BELKNAP HOTEL, LAKEPORT, N.H.

"At 70 years of age, *chronic Constipation* was causing me to suffer with distressing Headaches, Dizziness and Indigestion.

I believe I have taken more medicine than any half-dozen people in town; but *nothing did me good until I tried 'Fruit-a-tives'*.

Right away I could see their good effects. After taking them for three months, my bowels were regular, and the other ailments disappeared".

FRANK A. HALE.

50c. a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or from FRUIT-A-TIVES Limited, OGDENSBURG, N.Y.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

City Clerk Stephen Flynn calls my attention to the fact that the list of regulations regarding the solemnizing of marriages in this state, as recently promulgated from the office of the secretary of the commonwealth for the purpose of bringing such regulations to the attention of those not thoroughly familiar with them, contains one clause which might possibly give the wrong impression upon first reading. The clause in question says that if both parties of the marriage reside outside the state, whoever solemnizes their marriage must first have a copy of the certificate of their marriage intention from the city or town clerk of the place in Massachusetts where the marriage is to be solemnized. Certificates from outside the state are of no value here. There must be some authorization from authorities within the state. As originally promulgated, the clause would give the impression that the latter essential was not required.

I have just received a copy of the inaugural address of Bernard J. Golden, mayor of Woburn, delivered on the occasion of his second inauguration to that office a few months ago. A number of Lowell people are interested in Mayor Golden's official career because of the fact that his wife is a former Lowell girl. She and her distinguished husband are frequent visitors to this city and enjoy a wide circle of friends and acquaintances here. Mayor Golden's inaugural shows his city to be in a prosperous financial condition. His program of activities for 1920 is most comprehensive and if carried out will reflect no little credit on his administration.

I visited the local Greek community recently, walked through their streets and entered one of the Greek coffee houses, expecting to find the president of the Lowell Orthodox community, as I learned that he patronized that place occasionally. I did not meet the president, but instead, the secretary of the community with whom I started a conversation at a table at which two other men besides me were seated. I was offered cigars and cocoa or any kind of tonic, but I refused and turned the talk to affairs in the colony. The three men, one of whom could speak English fairly well, managed to tell me what I asked by speaking through this one man acting as an interpreter. One of the interesting bits of conversation was in regard to the Greek soldiers in the war. The secretary said that nine soldiers from the Lowell Greek community were killed in the war as American soldiers and 50 Lowell Greeks were wounded. I learned further that nearly all of these wounded men have returned to Lowell and are now back at work as before the war. Whether they know the advantages offered by the United States government or not, those wounded men are not availing themselves of the opportunities for schooling at the expense of the government. The secretary mentioned one fellow not a wounded soldier who is anxious to attend school but does not know where to go to register.

MYSTERY CLUB HAS LADIES' NIGHT

One of the most successful social events of the season was the annual ladies' night staged by the Mystery club last evening in Odd Fellows hall, Bridge street. A large crowd of young people attended and found plenty of enjoyment in the zestful program arranged by the committee in charge which embraced dancing, entertainment numbers and, of course, refreshments.

The officers of the club acted as the managers of the dance, as follows: General manager, Frank McGrail; assistant general manager, Charles Lynch; floor director, Luke Duffy; assistant floor director, George Kelley; treasurer, Patrick Bradley.

HAVE COLOR IN CHEEKS

Be Better Looking—Take Olive Tablets

If your skin is yellow—complexion pallid—tongue coated—appetite poor—you have a bad taste in your mouth—a lazy, no-good feeling—you should take Olive Tablets.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—a substitute for calomel—were prepared by Dr. Edwards after 17 years of study. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color.

To have a clear, pink skin, bright eyes, no pimples, a feeling of buoyancy like childhood days you must get at the cause.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act on the liver and bowels like calomel—yet have no dangerous after effects.

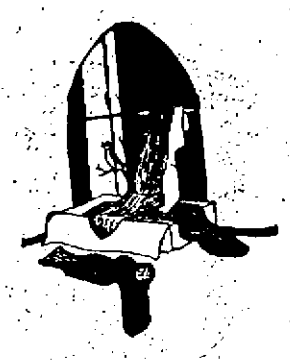
They start the bile and overcome constipation. Millions of boxes are sold annually at 10c and 25c. Take one or two nightly and note the pleasing results.

Men's Silk Hosiery

THE QUANTITY IS LIMITED

THE QUALITY IS REAL

THE VALUE IS EVIDENT



MEN'S SILK SOCKS

Exceptional quality, in black, navy, grey and cordovan—with lisle spliced heels and toes.

75c

These goods were ordered eleven months ago, and have just been received. Bought today at the present cost of silk hose the price would be $1.25.

While this lot lasts the price will be

75c

Putnam & Son Co.

166 Central Street

Revolt Pleases Ex-Emperor Charles

GENEVA, March 18.—Former Emperor Charles of Austria, who is now making his home at Prangins, is reported to have been evidently pleased when he first received word of the reactionary revolt in Berlin. He refused to express any opinion, however, but is closely following developments and is receiving many telegrams and letters every day.

Former Empress Zita is also in constant communication with Vienna and has received a large number of visitors during the last few days. She is reported to be in better spirits than she has been for some time.

German National Assembly Meets

STUTTGART, March 17. (By Associated Press.)—Two hundred and fifty members of the German National assembly held a meeting in the Art hall here this afternoon. Military forces are occupying the great open place before the hall. No disorders occurred while the members were assembling.

Airplanes are flying over the city warning the people against demonstrations.

Explorer Stefansson Resigns

OTTAWA, Ont., March 18.—Viljhalmar Stefansson, the Arctic explorer, has resigned from the governmental commission inquiring into the possibilities of northern development for meat producing purposes, according to an announcement by Arthur Meighen, minister of the interior. Stefansson has sailed for England and it is understood that the purpose of his trip is to seek to interest private capital in the project.

King Alfonso To See Ear Specialist

MADRID, March 17.—King Alfonso left today by Bordeaux, where he will visit a specialist in diseases of the ear.

Everybody in Lowell a Member

Sample Membership Card

This is a duplicate of the Membership Card. CUT OUT—SIGN UP—enclose your membership dues, and mail or deliver to 175 Dutton St., where your proper Membership Card will be attended to.

No money taken except for membership dues.

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OTTO HOCKMEYER, President

GEORGE E. KING, Treasurer.

They Outwitted Germans Through Fog and Rain
Now Preen Feathers in Pigeons' Hall of Fame

Feathered Heroes—three American messengers and one captured German bird.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 17.—Mermership in the A.P.S. is a military honor no mere man may achieve.

The A.P.S. stands for the American Pigeon Service of the United States army.

When the history of the greatest of all wars is written, these American birds will have their names in the annals. It will be told how the Huns were organized into shotgun squads to kill the winged messengers, but how 95 per cent of them out-distanced the bullets and "homed" with messages that enabled American artillery to locate and silence the enemy guns, to destroy trains of the foes' ammunition and to save thousands of American lives by re-enforcements and timely rescues.

"Heavier-than-air" planes were not **the only** ones who sailed above the enemy's heads. The Army Signal Corps had 10,000 pigeons overseas and 10,000 in America to be sent if they were needed. Birds carried 403 messages of incalculable importance, and at times when all other means of communication were unavailable.

Helps Silence Enemy

"The Mocker," with his eye destroyed by a piece of shrapnel and his head a welter of clotted blood homed in splendid time on the morning of Sept. 12, a few minutes after 7 o'clock, in a thick fog and heavy rain. Never faltering, he bore tidings of a particularly important objective reached and gave the location of several of the enemy's heavy batteries which were doing terrible execution on the advancing American troops. With the information American artillerymen were able to silence the enemy's guns within 20 minutes. The Mocker's wounds were dressed, he recovered and is now in the loft in Potomac Park here. The accompanying picture was taken on the blind side, showing his "disability" is the loss of a right eye.

Cited For Bravery

No less valiant is the record of "President Wilson," a huge blue bird of wonderful vitality and rapidity of flight. So gallant was his work during the operations of the tanks on the St. Mihiel front that he received the commendation of the signal officer of the First Corps. He was then transferred to the Meuse-Argonne sector.

On the morning of Nov. 5, through heavy rain and fog, and with a leg shot off, the big blue arrived at his loft with an important message. This was his second flight on this front and he made over 20 kilometers (12½ miles) in 21 minutes. "President Wilson" also recovered and is now in the Hall of Honor of the American Pigeon Service here.

Died From Wounds

Perhaps the most heroic bird that died on the American front was "Cher Ami." He carried a tremendously important message from Grand Pre, on the Argonne, over 25 miles of hills and dales, to his loft in Rampont. He shot up from behind the American breastworks like a rocket. His pigeoneer saw him falter and flutter in the air a moment, recover, poise in mid-air for a second, and then, like a flash of light, shoot away with his head pointing homeward. At Rampont straight out of the sky like a plummet he dropped, striking his loft breast first. Sergeant Kockler, his trainer, found the message tube was hanging from the ligaments of his leg, and he had a hole in his breast. "Cher Ami" died from his wounds and his body is mounted in the Smithsonian Institute.

Too Fast For Bullets

Perhaps the busiest bird on the American front was "Spike." Spike is the color of the sky, flies like greased lightning and eluded the Boche bullets. He delivered 52 important messages, never made a mistake, and didn't get a scratch. He, too, is back in Washington.

No. 67552 has no name yet. As far as is known, he was the only German bird captured alive. He was taken by the Americans in the St. Mihiel drive and is now associating with the American pigeons in Potomac Park.

STRAND THEATRE NOW PLAYING

"She's a picture anyway!"

WITH topboots, sombrero and everything—

Startling Society with a wild west garden party, which ends like a Villa raid—

Picture all this, and still you have only an inkling of the hundred and one manifestations of mischief which end with Mabel's departure for Arizona again, with several perfectly proper gentlemen chaperones.

The funniest farce ever filmed, played by the cleverest comedienne ever screened!

Watch for "Pinto" at your favorite theatre

Samuel Goldwyn *Presents*
MABEL NORMAND
in "PINTO"
Written and Directed by Victor Schertzinger

Other Goldwyn Releases:
Tom Moore in "Toby's Bow"
Rex Beach's "The Silver Horde"
Rupert Hughes' "The Cup of Fury"
Pauline Frederick in "The Fallen Code"
Madge Kennedy in "The Blooming Angel"
Will Rogers in "Water, Water Everywhere"
Jack Pickford in "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come"
Goldwyn Bray Animated Cartoons

GOLDWYN MOTION PICTVRES

HONEST MERCHANDISING

Congressman Rogers Proposes Penalties For Deception and Misbranding

(Special to The Sun)

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—A bill introduced this week in congress by Representative Rogers of Lowell will have a far-reaching effect in industrial centres and, in fact, will strike all trade centres if it passes. The bill is known as the honest merchandise act and is based on the same principles as the pure food act, but extends into textiles, boots, shoes, watches, and all other merchandise not covered by the pure food act. Its purpose is to prevent the sale, manufacture or transportation of merchandise under misbranded or misleading statements. The United States has never had such a law but England has tried it with excellent results, a bill along these same lines having been passed there in 1887, since which time it has been constantly in effect. Mr. Rogers has made it clear that it is not his intention in any way to interfere with proper trade marks, such as are now used by well known manufacturers of textiles, watches and boots and shoes, etc., but it is to prevent fraudulent use of trade marks tending to deceive the consumer, the falsifying of weights and substitution of imitations together with misleading and false advertisements, that his bill is framed. Power to prosecute and investigate is placed in the hands of the department of justice, treasury and commerce, with penalties as provided in the bill. Among other things the bill covers misrepresentation by merchants, manufacturers and jobbers; substitution of imitations, falsifying weights, and prohibits the use of trade marks so closely resembling recognized trade marks already in use that they are calculated to deceive purchasers. The interstate and foreign commerce committee will give the bill a hearing on Friday of this week at which time Mr. Rogers will explain in detail and refer to the practical workings of a similar bill in England.

RICHARDS.

GROWING DEAF WITH HEAD NOISES? TRY THIS

If you are growing hard of hearing and fear Catarrhal Deafness or if you have roaring, rumbling, hissing noises in your ears, go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parmint (double strength), and add to it ½ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone who is threatened with Catarrhal Deafness or who has head noises should give this prescription a trial.—Adv.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

By Theatres' Own Press Agents

OPERA HOUSE

The comedy part played by Miss Priscilla Knowles is one of the many enjoyable features of the week's production—the double drama—"eYs or No" by the popular Lowell Players at the Opera House this week. Miss Knowles is a thorough actress and her characterization of breezy "Emma" this week is rich in humor. You'll like her immensely. Miss Fields and an unusually large cast handle their respective parts remarkably well. If you anticipate a visit during the remaining performances you should order your tickets well in advance. Tel. 261. Next week's offering will be the famous mystery drama, "The 13th Chair."

THE STRAND

You can't afford to miss the all-star picture at The Strand for the last three days of the week. Mabel Normand the fascinating little star of the screen in "Pinto" and William Russell in "Shod with Fire," are both extraordinary picturizations. See them.

Who is the most popular lady movie patron in Lowell? She's certainly in luck, whoever she is! The Strand management is going to present her a $100 Easter hat! Watch for later announcements. They'll be interesting to the women folk.

SALEM CADET BAND

We should be pleased to hear that band again. It is one of the best ever.—Washington Post Editorial.

The music was simply superb. It is doubtful if anything equal to it can be recalled on a similar occasion.—Boston Globe.

Hundreds of comments similar to the above might be reproduced in connection with the history of the Salem Cadet band, which gives concerts here in Associate hall Sunday afternoon and evening. Marjorie Moody, soprano soloist with Sousa's band, will sing at both concerts.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Ethel Clayton in "Young Mrs. Winthrop" at the Merrimack Square theatre today, tomorrow and Saturday, plays the role of a young wife who sees her husband drifting away from her owing to her love of pleasure and his absorption in business. A five year old daughter is all that holds the two together until her tragic death seems to widen their differences. At last, through the efforts of a wise lawyer the two are brought together and the ending is as it should be. The beautiful actress is at her best in this production. Dorothy Gish in "Mary Ellen Comes to Town," is the other feature for the latter half of the week.

B. F. KEITH THEATRE

One of the breeziest of monologs is that being given this week by Frances Kennedy at the B. F. Keith theatre. Her description of a bridge whist party is nothing if not entertaining, while the comments on the guests are always of the keenest.

The only bunch of Scottish lassies on any stage who love to jazz their music are contained in McKay's Scotch Revue, which is one of the week's features. The skirl of the pipes in the finale fits in well with the very latest ideas of jazz music.

And then there is George Rolland with his company in "Fixing the Furnace." This is one of the standard acts. Leon Varvara, pianist, does some specially good work, and Gordon & Day exemplify the tramp and the cyclist. Other acts are the Francetti Sisters, in pedestal work, and Ensign & Kerr in a skit.

THE OWL THEATRE

A real novelty in features is offered in "Sky Eye," the sensational aerial picture produced with the co-operation of the United States army air service, one of the headliners on today's bill at the Owl theatre. The audience will see many celebrities of the aerial world cavorting on the screen in some of the most thrilling stunts ever seen. In addition to an all-star supporting cast, Lieut. Russell J. Hunt, U.S.A., R.M.A., risked his life in the part of "Sky Eye." The same is true of Lieut. C. C. Nutt as Lieut. Fordyce. Another celebrated personage to appear is Harold J. Peterson recently captured and held for ransome by Mexican bandits. Lt. Hunt performs some of the most thrilling stunts ever shown in an aeroplane. One of the stunts that will make any audience gasp, is jumping from plane to plane in mid air. Another is the leap from the flying machine to the train traveling at 70 miles an hour. The fight in mid-air and a parachute drop of 2000 feet are a few of the situations depicted in this up-to-the-minute romance of the air. In the second feature, "The Volcano," starring Leah Baird from the stage play of the same name by Augustus Thomas, we meet an unusual celebrity, Mr. William H. Gibson, who has been an indefatigable worker in the interest of the men who have lost a leg or an arm in the service. Mr. Gibson was a famous vaudeville dancer when an accident deprived him of his right foot. He bought a wooden leg and spent four years learning to dance with it. In "The Volcano," the wooden footed actor gives a remarkable exhibition of dancing. Third feature, Harold Lloyd in his latest comedy production, "Capt. Kidd's Kids." Madame Ayer, the well known soloist, the added attraction, will offer some new songs. The performances are continuous, starting at 1 p. m. daily. Night patrons arriving before 7.15 will see entire bill.

Home of the Spoken Drama
OPERA HOUSE

LAST THREE DAYS
No Matinee on Friday

The Reigning Sensation
THE LOWELL PLAYERS
In the Great Double Drama
Two Plays In One

YES OR NO

Another Big Production Next Week:
THE 13th CHAIR
By the Author of "Within the Law"
SALE OF SEATS BEGINS FRIDAY

THE PLAYHOUSE FOR HOME PEOPLE
STRAND
CONTINUOUS FROM 1 TO 11:15 P.M.

—Today—
ALL NEW BILL
MABEL NORMAND
In the Greatest Picture Play
"PINTO"
(7 Acts)
WILLIAM RUSSELL
—IN—
"SHOD WITH FIRE"
Romantic Love Story of Plains
A $100 EASTER HAT
For Lowell's Most Popular Lady Patron—Watch For Later Announcements.

Miss Ella Leona Gale
FREE ORGAN RECITAL
First Congregational Church
Saturday, March 20, at 4 O'Clock
Auspices of the Middlesex Women's Club

MERRIMACK SQ THEATRE

Today, Friday, Saturday
That Beautiful Star
ETHEL CLAYTON
In "YOUNG MRS. WINTHROP"
The Story of Two Who Loved Blindly, But Wrecked Their Home Through Blindness

Added Feature
DOROTHY GISH
In "Mary Ellen Comes to Town"

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Next Week: "Male and Female"

NEW JEWEL THEATRE

TODAY
The Greatest Race-Track Story of the Age:
"Checkers"
The Play That Thrilled Two Continents on the Legitimate Stage

Other Attractions
VIOLA DANA
—IN—
"Please Get Married"

Episode 8 of "The Lion Man"

CROWN THEATRE

— TONIGHT —
BIG STARS SHOW
Dustin Farnum
— IN —
"CAPTAIN COURTESY"
Picture Full of Action

ALICE BRADY
—IN—
"MARIE, LTD."

— OTHERS —

OWL THEATRE

LEAH BAIRD
In THE VOLCANO
SEVEN PARTS
From the stage play of the same name.
By AUGUSTUS THOMAS.

Lieut. Russell Hunt
In SKY-EYE
SIX PARTS
A cyclonic air romance of death defying escapades
Made under supervision U. S. Government

HAROLD LLOYD
—IN—
Captain Kidd's Kids
TWO PARTS

—ADDED ATTRACTION—
Madame Ayer, Soloist

Cleo

Yes, beautiful CLEO MADISON is back in the films—and believe me she hasn't lost her pep. Come and see her today.

Other fine pictures are also listed besides her.

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The Merriest Comedienne in Her Own Monolog

McKay's Scotch Revue
ORIGINAL SCOTCH JAZZ BAND

George Rolland & Co.,
—In—
"FIXING THE FURNACE"

Leon Varvara, Gordon & Day, Francetti Sisters, Kerr & Ensign

KINOGRAMS—TOPICS OF THE DAY —BRUCE SCENIC

1000 MATINEE SEATS 10c

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage intentions have been filed recently at the office of the city clerk:

Bernard Speechaert, Newmarket, N. H., 52, weaver; Margaret Horan, 228 Moody, 39, bookbinder.

Emile J. Paquette, 179 Ennell, 24, mule spinner; Eva Decosse, 130 Coburn, 22, hosiery.

Albert Dyment, 20 Chelmsford, 21, electrician's helper; Ruth Dyment, 186 Appleton, 20, clerk.

Edward L. Thurber, 918 Lakeview ave., 32, woolen weaver; Marie J. Dube, 219 East Merrimack, 28, woolen weaver.

George G. Merrill, 48 Parker, 21, machinist's helper, Annette L. Carpenter, 48 Parker, 19, Gillespie Mfg. Co.

Narcisse A. M. Beaulier, 649 Merrimack, 29, machine shop; Almeda M. Goyette, Dracut, 23, mill operative.

Alphonse Larochelle, 107 Cushing, 26, mechanic; Marie B. St. Overs, 318 Moody, 21, operative.

Charles L. Turner, Ellis, Kan., 24, farmer; Della Wynne, 53 Church, 24, operative.

George F. Toye, 272 Merrimack, 27, lawyer; Ella M. Reilly, 66 Tenth, 32, music teacher.

Own a "Dort"—You'll like it.

Headaches From Slight Colds —LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets relieve the headache by curing the Cold. A Tonic laxative and germ destroyer. Look for signature E. W. GROVE on box. —Adv.

Lift Off Corns!

Doesn't hurt! Lift touchy corns and calluses right off with fingers

Apply a few drops of "Freezone" upon that old, bothersome corn. Instantly that corn stops hurting. Then shortly you lift it right off, root and all, without pain or soreness.

Hard corns, soft corns, corns between the toes, and the hard skin calluses on bottom of feet lift right off—no humbug!

Tiny bottles of "Freezone" cost but a few cents at drug stores

STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, March 18.—Advances of two to eight points were made by many issues in the first half hour of today's stock market session yesterday's late rally assuming wider and more impressive proportions. Greatest strength was again shown by shares of companies which are expected to declare stock dividends in the near future. These included the leading motors, steels, railway equipments, leathers, textiles and chemicals. Oils and shippings also made appreciable gains with some of the food issues. Among the more representative industrials United States Steel was an active demand at a moderate gain.

The rapid pace of the opening was maintained throughout the forenoon, short covering adding to the enormous turn over. Stocks with dividend prospects continued to lead but the entire list, including high grade rails, participating in variable degree. Stutz Motor was the sensational feature, extending yesterday's gain of 17½ points with an additional 15½. Other noteworthy features included General Motors, Pierce Arrow, Motor Accessories, American Woolen, American Car, Baldwin Locomotive, New York Airbrake Republic, Crucible, Vanadium and United States Steels, Atlantic Gulf, United Fruit, Central Leather, Hide & Leather, Texas company, and Utah Copper at gains of 3½ to 10 points. Call money opened at 7 per cent.

The firmer tendency of foreign exchange and decline in the call money rate to 6 per cent, influenced the further active rise of the afternoon. Steels and equipments were then the outstanding feature in connection with reports of impending railroad contracts. Oils also rose briskly.

Heavy selling for profit reduced extreme advances by one to five points later, but not before higher prices had been established by some of the steels, equipments and motors. The closing was strong.

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, March 18.—Cotton futures opened firm. March, 40.24; May, 37.85; July, 34.95; October, 31.95; December, 31.12.

Cotton futures closed steady: March, 40.28; May, 38.02; July, 35.34; October, 32.11; December, 31.20.

Spot steady; middling, 41.00.

Money Market

NEW YORK, March 18.—Time loans firm; 60 days, 90 days and six months, 8 to 8½.

Call money, easy; high, 7; low, 6; ruling rate, 7; closing bid, 6; offered at 7; last loan, 6; bank acceptances, 6. Prices of Liberty bonds at 2.55 p. m.: 97.10; first 4s, 96.60; second 4s, 89.40; first 4¼s, 90.60; second 4¼s, 89.86; third 4¼s, 92.70; fourth 4¼s, 89.96; Victory 3¾s, 97.60; Victory 4¾s, 97.54.

Liberty Bonds Stronger

NEW YORK, March 18.—The strength of 3½ per cent. Liberty bonds which sold here today for $97.50 as compared with $96.06, the closing price last week was attributed to unconfirmed reports that the Henry Astor estate, which recently disposed of more than $5,000,000 worth of New York real estate at auction, was buying them because of their tax exempt feature.

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal	46	43½	43¾
Am Beet Sug	90	87⅞	87¾
Am Can	52¾	50½	51½
Am Car & F	145	142	142¾
Am Cot Oil	49	49	49
Am H & L	28½	24½	27½
do pf	118	115¾	116¾
Am Loco	105½	104½	104½
Am Smelt	69⅞	68	68⅝
Am Sug	132½	132½	132½
Am Sumatra	100½	97½	100⅜
Am Wool	139⅞	135½	137
Anaconda	62⅞	61	63
Atch	85	83⅝	84½
At Gulf	166½	164⅝	164½
Baldwin	140¾	133	134¾
B & O	37¾	36⅝	37½
do pf	48	48	48
Beth Steel A	88½	88½	88½
do B	97⅞	92⅞	95½
do pf 8%	112	112	112
Cal Pete	41	40⅞	41
Can Pac	121½	123½	124½
Cent Lea	90⅞	88½	89½
Ches & O	58	58	58
C & Gt W	9½	9½	9½
do pf	25½	25½	25½
C R I & P	38⅞	37½	37½
Chile	18½	18½	18½
Col G & E	60½	53⅞	60
Col Fuel	39⅞	38⅞	39½
Con Gas	88	87⅞	87½
Corn Prod	95⅞	94⅞	94½
Cru Steel	237	233½	235½
Cuba Cane	48⅞	47¾	48
Den & R G	7⅞	7⅞	7½
do pf	14⅞	14½	14½
Dis Sec	70	65⅞	69½
Elk Horn	23½	23	23½
Erie	14⅞	14⅝	14⅞
Gen Elec	167	164	165
Gen Motors	237½	227⅞	235¾
Goodrich	73½	72½	73
Gt No pf	83¾	82½	82¾
Gt N Ore ctf	41⅝	40⅞	41½
Ill Cen	93	93	93
Int Met Com	4½	4½	4½
do 1st	15⅝	15½	15½
Int Mer Mar	37	36½	37
do pf	93¾	91½	93½
Int Paper	91⅝	88⅞	89⅝
Kennecott	31½	30⅝	31
K City S	18⅝	18⅝	18½
Kan & T	9⅞	9⅝	9⅝
Lack Steel	81½	78½	79½
Lehigh Val	46½	46½	46½
L & Nash	106½	106½	106½
Maxwell	32½	30½	32½
do 1st	58	58	58
Mex Pet	195	190	192½
Midvale	48⅞	47½	48
Mo Pac	30	28⅞	29⅝
Nat Lead	82	82	82
N Y Air B	112	110½	111½
N Y Cent	76½	75½	76½
N Y & N H	36	35½	35½
Nor & West	97	97	97
No Pac	84⅞	84	84
O G	46¾	45¾	45¾
Ont & West	21	21	21
Pan Am	101½	98	100½
Penn	43½	43	41½
Peo Gas	39	39	39
Pitts Coal	55½	55	55
P W V	29½	29½	28½
Pres Steel	103⅞	101⅞	101⅞
Pullman	122	118⅞	118⅞
Ry St Sp Co	102⅞	100	101
Reading	88½	86	86⅞
Rep I & S	106⅝	97⅞	104½
Royal D	103½	101	102⅞
do pf	59⅞	59	59⅝
St Paul	40⅞	39½	40½
Sloss	77	74½	75⅝
So Pac	103	100⅞	100⅞
So Ry	24⅞	24⅞	24½
do pf	58⅞	55⅞	58⅞
Sinclair Oil	44⅞	43½	44½
Stude	107⅞	102⅞	107½
Tenn Cop	10⅞	10⅝	10⅞
Tex Pac	42	41	42½
U Pac	122⅞	122	122
U S I Al	101½	96⅞	97½
U S Rub	111⅞	109⅞	112
U S Steel	103½	100⅞	102⅞
do pf	113⅞	113	113⅞
Utah Cop	75⅞	74	75½
Va Chem	78⅞	77½	77½
Wab	9½	9½	9½
do A	28⅞	28	28⅞
do A	25⅞	25	25⅞
Willys	25⅞	25	25
Westhouse	54½	53½	54½
Wes Un	89½	89½	89½

BOSTON, March 18.—Opening prices on the local stock board today continued the late advances of yesterday. Waltham Manufacturing was up 1¾; Big Heart advanced ¾, and Carson Hill gained ¼. Amoskeag sold at its highest price, 161.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
A A Chem	94½	93½	94½
Al Gold	2	2	2
Am T & T	101⅞	100⅞	101⅞
*Am Wool	139⅞	135½	136½
Amer Zinc	19½	18⅞	19
Ariz Com	12½	12	12
Bosch Mag	119	116½	117½
*Bos El	84½	83½	84½
Butte & Sup	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cal & Ariz	67	67	67
Cal & Hec	[illegible]	417½	[illegible]
Chino	32½	31	31⅞

Cop Range	42½	42½	42½
Davis Daly	10⅞	10½	10½
Inspiration	56⅞	55⅞	56½
Island Oil	5	5	5
Kerr Lake	4½	4½	4½
Lake	4	4	4
Lib McN	27½	27½	27½
Mass Elec pf	10½	10½	10½
Mass Gas	72	72	72
do pf	60	60	60
Mayflower	5	5½	5½
N E Tel	88	88	88
Nipissing	10⅞	10⅝	10⅞
No Butte	15⅞	15½	16½
Old Dom	33	33	33
*Osceola	45	45	45
Pond Creek	21½	19⅞	21½
Ray Con	18⅞	15½	15½
Superior	5½	5½	5½
Swift & Co	124	123½	124
Swift Intl	46	45	45
U Cons	5½	5½	5½
U Fruit	206½	203	203
U Sh M	47	46½	46½
do pf	25½	25½	25½
U S Smel	69½	69½	69½
Ventura	18⅞	17½	17½

*Ex-dividend.

GORE ATTACKS LEAGUE

Speaks at St. Patrick's Day Dinner — Gov. Coolidge and Mayor Peters Speak

BOSTON, March 18.—A prediction by Senator Gore of Oklahoma that the United States senate will "kill" the League of Nations, an attack on the Coote commission by Mayor Peters and a review of the world's development under freedom-loving people by Governor Coolidge marked the 183d annual reunion and dinner last night in the Copley-Plaza hotel of the Charitable Irish society.

The people of this country would never consent to a league that would permit the drafting of its boys and sending them over all the globe to fight the battles of other peoples, declared the blind senator. "Wilson will not compromise and the senate is holding fast," he said. "The end will come tomorrow or the next day."

Speaker after speaker voiced the justice of Ireland's cause and lauded the representatives of that land now in the United States. Within a year —before March 17 comes again— nearly all of them declared their belief that Ireland will be in her place among the nations of the world.

United States Senator David I. Walsh, listed as one of the principal speakers, was detained by the treaty fight in Washington. A part of the speech he was to have delivered was read by his brother, Major Thomas L. Walsh. Others who addressed the gathering, notable among the meetings which this ancient society has held, were John J. Mitchell, newly appointed internal revenue collector in this district; President James A. Dorsey of the Charitable Irish society, and Major-General Clarence R. Edwards.

THE NEW HIGH SCHOOL AND THE OLD

Lowell's new high school building is going to cost a million and a half dollars more than the old high school now standing in Kirk st. cost when it was erected in 1893, according to figures concerning both buildings available at the city auditor's office. The figures give a striking example of the increase in the cost of materials, labor, etc., in the last quarter of a century.

The money appropriated for the new building upon which Contractor Daniel H. Walker has just started work totals $1,750,000. The old high school building when completed cost the city $199,276.65, or $1,550,723.35 less than the new building will cost. In both instances, all incidental expenses are included.

It took two years to erect the old school, the time estimated by Mr. Walker for the erection of the new structure. The old building was started in 1891 and finished in 1893. It was built by a commission as in the case of the new building.

Six years after the Kirk street building was opened the school department authorities found that they must have more room and the Paige street annex was erected. This also took two years, being started in 1899 and finished in 1901. It cost $85,901.30 and was erected by the public buildings department.

30,000 PERSONS SAVED FROM STARVATION

DVINSK, March 16.—Thirty thousand persons have been saved from starvation here by the timely arrival of an American Red Cross relief unit from Warsaw. When the Americans arrived with the Polish army, they found the people dying by scores from starvation. Food had been exhausted for two weeks before the Poles reached the city and the remnant of the population was demolishing all wooden houses to procure firewood when relief reached them.

Soup kitchens have been reopened and are now feeding 17,000 children and 30,000 adults.

URGE SPEEDY READJUSTMENT OF RAILROADS TO PRIVATE OWNERSHIP

ST. LOUIS, March 18.—Speedy adjustment of railroads to private ownership was advocated at the spring meeting of the National Industrial Traffic League, which opend here today.

Many delegates declared for the repeal of the war tax on transprtation charges. The executive committee reconmended that the league formulate plans for freer distirbution of coal during the summer months when transportations are most favorable to reduce winter tonnage and to furnish steadier employment for the miners.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Robert Underwood Johnson, recently appointed American ambassador to Rome, sailed on the steamship France today for Havre, en route to his new post.

LANDSLIDES EXPENSIVE

Slides in First Street Make Big Hole in Street Department Appropriations

It will cost the street department at least $17,000 to clear away the debris caused by the recent series of landslides in First street, according to Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy. Unless there are further slides the work will take 15 days.

The commissioner has 27 men, 20 carts and a large truck at work filling in the sunken area with cinders obtained free of cost from local manufacturing concerns.

The commissioner is not very optimistic as to the future of the part of the new highway which borders on the territory where the recent slides have occurred. He says there is no assurance that there will not be further slides because of the composition of the soil and the stream of water known to be underneath it.

When the West Roxbury Trap Rock Co., the concern which is constructing the new river highway in that section, first undertook the work, the company officials said that there would be no need of a retaining wall to prevent slides, but late in the year, when it had finished its work for the season, the company came out with a statement that a retaining wall will have to be built in order to insure the safety of the new road. If such a wall is built, the expense will have to be borne by the city.

HOOVER URGES EARLY RATIFICATION OF TREATY

NEW YORK, March 18.—Herbert Hoover, in a statement issued from his office here today, advocates early ratification of the peace treaty "so long as the final form gives us freedom of action and room for constructive development of peace," and with reservations which "should satisfy the most timid as to entanglements." The statement was issued, it was explained, in respones to a reuuetsa of the Washington Star for his views on the subject.

Mr. Hoover expressed the belief that the reservations "do not destroy the possibility of the creation of a potent organization to mitigate the dangers in front of us and the alternatives are a continuation of our state of war for another year or the unthinkable thing for us to make a separate peace after we have gone so far as to agree on its main lines with comrades-in-arms.

"Despite the feeling of President Wilson and his associates that the strength of the league is somewhat undermined," by the reservations, Mr. Hoover expressed the opinion "they also should accept" them.

"Regardless of what any of us may think should have been the provisions of either the league or the treaty," he asserted, "we and the world should not be kept waiting longer for a settlement."

EVANS WHO CUT THROAT IN SERIOUS CONDITION

NEW YORK, March 18.—George Evans, who attempted suicide here last night by cutting his throat with broken glass and is alleged by the police to have confessed to the murder of his wife at New Britain, Conn., was reported in a serious condition at Bellevue hospital today. The police of New Britain have sent an officer here to question him.

FUNERALS

PELLERIN—The funeral of Marie Yvonne Pellerin took place this morning from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Euclide Pellerin, 134 Gershom avenue. High mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Augustin Graton, O.M.I. The choir under the direction of L. N. Guilbault, who also presided at the organ, rendered the Gregorian chant. The bearers were Edouard Ally, George Rivard, Armand Blouin, Leo Cinqmars, Alphonse Cinqmars and Mastai Dion. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Eugene Turcotte, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

PYPET—The funeral of Mrs. Maria Pypel took place this morning from her home, 223 Adams street. High mass of requiem was celebrated at the Holy Trinity church in High street at 8 o'clock by Rev. Alexander Ogonowski. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Ogonowski. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

AUTOS IN COLLISION

A Ford runabout owned and operated by John Brady collided with a touring car of the Dodge make at Tower's corner shortly after 2.30 o'clock this afternoon. The runabout came out unscathed, but the radiator of the other machine was damaged and the mudguards bent. The damaged car bore the Massachusetts registration 07641.

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YD HERO DIES OF WOUNDS

K. of C. Takes Charge and Plan To Bury Dyer in Potter's Field Abandoned

NEW YORK, March 18.—A grave in potter's field prepared for Oliver D. Dyer of Leominster, Mass., a former private in the 102d Machine Gun Battalion, 26th Division, who died here Tuesday as a result of wounds received in action, was abandoned today when it was announced the body would be buried with full military honors. The Knights of Columbus have taken charge and burial will be in Calvary cemetery tomorrow. A squad of soldiers from Governor's Island will fire a salute at the grave.

The Knights of Columbus became interested in the case when it became known the boy's only near relative was a young half sister, Thelma Tucker, who has been an inmate of a charitable institution in Massachusetts. She was sent for by the organization and arrangements have been made to provide for her support.

When Dyer was discharged from the army after having been, gassed and wounded three times, he enlisted in the navy but a short time ago he was discharged for physical disability. He died in the charity ward of the hospital on Blackwell's Island.

Sensation in Police Circles

Continued

refused to "back him up" in the prosecution of the case and he had accordingly appealed to the mayor's private secretary, Attorney George Toye, to handle the prosecution.

Another high spot in the session occurred when Macarunis jumped excitedly to his feet during Officer Moore's testimony and shouted: "He's a liar."

Deputy Downey suggested that Macarunis be placed in the prisoner's cage, whereupon D. J. Murphy, counsel for the defense said: "He won't be put in the dock—but some of the police should be there."

Officer Moore was the first to take the stand. In answer to questions by his counsel, Mr. Toye, he said that as a result of complaints received he and Officer Cooney had visited a cottage on Salem street where he had been informed that Macarunis and the woman were living as man and wife.

He was finally admitted by Macarunis, he said, who at first appeared at the door in his night clothes. Macarunis, the officer declared, told him that he was not married to the woman. He had not married her because he had a wife in Greece, whom he hadn't heard from since leaving that country several years ago.

He further admitted, the officer said, that two children had been born to him and the woman during the four years they had lived together. The children were registered as his at city hall, he said, and bore his name.

The Katsuna woman, he said, had also admitted that she was not married to Macarunis. She admitted that the two children were theirs. She also added that she had a husband of her own, the officer stated.

She further stated that her husband came to visit her once every month, according to the officer, and said in conclusion that "she wasn't any worse than lots of other women."

Officer Moore was cross-examined at some length by Atty. Murphy in regard to alleged ill feeling between himself and Macarunis, who, it was brought out, had assisted the police on various occasions during the past two years in their campaign against gambling in coffee houses.

Mr. Murphy referred to a so-called "naturalization club" on Market street, which was raided recently with no results. He stressed the fact that only a few days after the unsuccessful raid Macarunis and the woman had been arrested.

Officer Moore said that he had no ill feeling against Macarunis. He had come to the decision some time ago that Macarunis was "crooked," he said, and had not asked his assistance in rounding up alleged gamblers since.

"Have you heard rumors that this so-called naturalization club is protected and that some police officers are receiving $20 weekly from the proprietors?" asked Mr. Murphy.

"No, sir," declared Officer Moore emphatically.

"Are you getting any money from the place?"

"No, sir."

Referring to the arrest of Macarunis, Officer Moore said that a relative of the defendant had informed him that Macarunis had a wife in Greece.

This relative had been unwilling to appear in court because he was afraid he "would be shot."

"Would you be surprised to learn that Macarunis and this woman are married to each other?" asked Mr. Murphy.

"I wouldn't be surprised at anything," replied Officer Moore.

In conclusion Officer Moore said that when he found that Supt. Welch was unwilling to back him up in the prosecution of Macarunis, he had appealed to Mr. Toye for aid.

Mr. Toye affirmed this and declared that he was prosecuting the case for the best interests of the police department.

At about 1 o'clock the court adjourned until 2 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Keeper Hill, who booked the two defendants on the night of the arrest, was the first witness called at the afternoon session. He said that the woman told him she was not married.

The woman then took the stand. She said she was born in Austria, and came to America in 1910.

She and Macarunis were married in Amsterdam seven years ago, she said. Mr. Murphy exhibited a marriage certificate said to have been given her by the priest who performed the ceremony. The certificate was in the Greek language.

She had never been married before, she said. She believed that Macarunis was a single man when she married him. They had lived together since, and two children had been born to them.

Cross-examined by Mr. Toye she said that she didn't get the marriage certificate until some time after the ceremony.

Macarunis had told her that he had been married in Greece but that his wife was dead, she declared. She denied telling Officer Moore that she had a husband who visited her once a month.

Officer Moore was recalled to the stand. Mr. Murphy asked if he knew Macarunis by the name of Malas. He said he did not.

Macarunis had married her under the name of Malas, she said. He had gone by the name of Malas some of the time because he was unable to spell the name of Macarunis, she pointed out.

Macarunis took the stand. He said he was known by two names, Macarunis and Malas.

He admitted that he had been arrested several times in gaming raids. On some of these occasions he had given the name of Malas, he declared.

He married the Katzuna woman at Amsterdam, N. Y., in 1913, he said. He had been married before in Greece, he said, but his wife had died.

Macarunis at this point vehemently declared that he would not testify further unless he was allowed to speak through an interpreter.

"I won't speak," he shouted.

Judge Enright ordered him to continue his testimony.

He had received letters from relatives stating that his wife had died before he married the Katbuna woman, he said.

Macarunis continually interrupted the lawyers by shouting that he could not speak good English, and insisting on an interpreter.

"How long ago did your wife die?" asked Attorney Toye.

"One hundred years ago," shouted Macarunis. "I don't understand what you say—I want an interpreter."

"How old are you?" asked Mr. Toye patiently.

"I can't understand," shouted Macarunis excitedly. "I've told you a hundred times I don't understand."

He leaped from the witness stand at this point, but was persuaded by his counsel, Mr. Murphy, to return.

He continued his stubborn refusal to answer Mr. Toye's questions, asserting that he couldn't understand English. Finally an interpreter was called.

In answer to questions by Mr. Toye Macarunis said that he used the name Malas considerably because he was unable to write the name "Macarunis."

He was talking in English at this point.

Judge Enright told the interpreter to inform Macarunis that if he continued to shout and refuse to answer the questions put to him he would sentence him to 10 days in jail for contempt of court.

Macrunis lowered his voice a trifle.

At the time of his arrest Macarunis said that he had declared that the Lowell police were "all thieves."

The case was continued to March 31.

INSURANCE AGENTS HOLD MEETING

A dinner in the Harrisonia hotel this afternoon was attended by nearly all the insurance agents of the several companies in this city. The insurance men plan an extension of the National Underwriter's association so that every agent may be made an underwriter. After the dinner the men disposed of many business matters, including the election of officers and appointment of committees which will be announced later.

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Many Killed and Wounded

COPENHAGEN, March 17.—A message received here from Dortmund, Germany, says:

"Heavy fighting occurred here this morning between regular troops which arrived during the night, aided by members of the citizens' guard and the public security guard, and armed workmen. After receiving heavy reinforcements, the workmen overwhelmed the regulars today at noon, and disarmed them as well as the citizens' guard and security guard. Workmen's forces are now in possession of the town. Many have been killed and wounded, but the number of casualties has not been ascertained. There has been no plundering and the town is quiet at present."

Savage Fighting Reported

THE HAGUE, March 17.—Soviet republics have been formed at Dortmund, in Westphalia, and at Gera, 35 miles southwest of Leipsic, according to despatches received here. At the latter place, there has been savage fighting, it is said. In the fighting at Dresden, 50 persons have been killed and 495 wounded, reports state, and the city is isolated from the rest of Germany.

German Artillery Battery Wiped Out

LONDON, March 18.—An artillery battery at Wetter, Westphalia, has been wiped out by Spartacans, according to an official Berlin despatch filed Wesdneday afternoon. The Spartacans killed all the officers of the battery and nearly all the men, the despatch says.

BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

COBLENZ, March 18.—Gustav Noske, minister of defense in the Ebert cabinet, arrived in Berlin by airplane late yesterday, having made the trip from Stuttgart. Gen. von Zecht, chief of staff of the constitutional government, has replaced Gen. von Luettwitz as commander at Berlin, according to advices.

LONDON, March 18—Rumors are current in Berlin that Dr. Wolfgang Kapp, head of the reactionary government set up in Berlin last Saturday, and whose resignation was announced yesterday, had committed suicide, according to a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. from Amsterdam.

NEWPORT, R. I., March 18.—Loans of money received by members of the naval anti-vice squad whose methods are under investigation by a court of inquiry figured in the testimony before the court today.

HARTFORD, Conn., March 18.—The Connecticut river at noon today was at 15 feet, 4 inches above low water mark and steadily rising.

PARIS, March 18.—The conference of ambassadors met today with Premier Millerand presiding and Marshal Foch present. The conference discussed the events in Germany and also the Hungarian demand for modifications of the peace treaty.

WASHINGTON, March 18—The American government today asked Chile as one of the great and powerful nations of South America to use its influence to prevent serious difficulties between Bolivia and Peru.

AMSTERDAM, March 18—The occupation of a military barracks in Berlin by workingmen who stormed the place and then announced that they had proclaimed a soviet republic is reported by the Handelsblad Berlin correspondent today.

PARIS, March 18.—The situation in Germany is more obscure than over this morning. Little reliable news came out of that country during the night, but the position of the Ebert government seems to be growing stronger, while the movement led by Dr. Wolfgang Kapp has definitely collapsed.

NEW YORK, March 18.—In the semifinal matches for the women's national indoor tennis championship here today, Miss Edith Sigourney, Boston, defeated Mrs. Ingo F. Hartmann, New York, 6—1, 6—1, and Miss Helene Pollak, New York, defeated Miss Caroma Winn, Mountain Lakes, N. J., 6—3, 6—3.

OTTAWA, March 18.—The Canadian trade commission today announced it would issue no licenses for export of sugar until Canadian demands are satisfied, and advised consumers to "begin laying by a supply of sugar for the coming season."

FEDERAL "DRY" AGENTS ARRESTED

NEW YORK, March 18.—William A. Smith and John Sell, federal prohibition enforcement agents, were arrested in Brooklyn today on charges of extortion and conspiracy. Both are alleged to have accepted money from former saloonkeepers in Brooklyn after threatening them with prosecution for violation of the prohibition.

Smith and Sell pleaded not guilty when arraigned, declaring they were "framed up" by the police.

THORPE SIGNS WITH AKRON

AKRON, Ohio, March 18.—Jim Thorpe, noted athlete and a leading hitter in the Natinoal league last season, today signed a contract with the Akron club of the International league. Thorpe was purchased by Akron from the Boston Nationals.

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Readin' and Writin' and 'Rithmetic Tiniest Broadway Star Busy in Her Hours Off Stage

Lillian is very fond of her doll co-actress, Petunia

NEW YORK, March 18.—The tiniest star on Broadway is also the busiest, by her own admission.

Lillian Roth is 8 years old. In Henry Savage's latest production, "Shavings," she plays a part so important, in the opinion of critics, that almost any grown-up star, whose name is blazoned in electric lights, might well envy her.

Lillian affirms she is the busiest girl in the world, and backs up her sweeping statement with what appear to be most convincing facts.

So Much Work to Do

"You see," says Lillian, as she deftly applies a touch of cosmetics to the face of her best-beloved doll, Petunia, who also figures in "Shavings," "grown-up actresses don't have to work and everything when they are off stage. But I do. I have to go to school, and do home work, and take lessons on the piano and ukelele."

A program of her day entails going to the professional children's school—which is solely for stage children—and studying writing, reading, spelling, geography, arithmetic, diction, French and singing.

No Love for Division

"I love my teachers," says the little star. "But they're pretty hard. In regular schools, kids only have to study reading and writing and arithmetic, don't they? I wouldn't mind that—only the arithmetic. I think that's awful. I'm on cancellation and long division now and they're dreadful things to think about."

But even the busiest girl in New York admits she has a lot of fun. For instance, there is the hour every day she spends in Central Park, shovelling snow, roller skating and talking to the "cop."

A Roller Skate Race

"I've got a regular cave-home for Petunia," says Lillian. "It's built in a snow bank, and the sun hasn't been warm enough so far to melt it. I have a lot of fun with Petunia, but I love roller skates. I go everywhere on them, in the park and to the library, shopping and to the theatre at night. Mother takes me to the theatre an hour early every night so I can play awhile before I go on. I run her a race on the way, and beat her, because I can go faster on my roller skates than she can, walking."

Lillian's dressing room, by the way, is considered a most wonderful place, thanks to Colonel Henry Savage. It was arranged especially for her, and has room for seven dolls and a doll carriage—which may explain her insistence upon the hour of play before her three hours of work every night.

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Gertrude Lamarre, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anselme Lamarre, 29 Main street, Sanford, Me., was saved from fits by the prompt action of her mother who administered Dr. True's Elixir.

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Symptoms of worms: Constipation, deranged stomach, swollen upper lip, sour stomach, offensive breath, hard and fully belly, with occasional gripings and pains about the navel, pale face of leaden tint, eyes heavy and dull, twitching eyelids, itching of the nose, itching of the rectum, short dry cough, grinding of the teeth, little red points sticking out on the tongue, starting during sleep, slow fever.

Dr. True's Elixir has been faithful in its duties as a family Laxative and Worm Expeller, since 1851—over 68 years' reputation. Everyone can improve their health by simply looking after the bowels—a pure herb, laxative which Dr. True's Elixir is, will promptly relieve all worry and disorders. AT ALL DEALERS.—Adv.

DISORDER AT LA PAZ

Bolivian Government Expresses Regret For Attack on Peruvian Legation

LIMA, Peru, March 18.—The aide-de-camp of President Guerar of Bolivia called at the Peruvian legation at La Paz yesterday and expressed the Bolivian government's regret for the attack on the legation last Sunday night, according to official advices received here today. Following the receipt of this information, Foreign Minister Porras forwarded a note to La Paz, asking for material reparation for the loss incurred and the arrest of officials involved in the demonstration.

Detailed reports of the incident indicate that many Peruvian commercial houses were looted during the disorder at La Paz and confirmation has been received of the report that the office of the newspaper La Razon was destroyed.

A small crowd attacked the Bolivian mission here this morning, but was driven off by the troops on guard before any damage was done. The prefect of Lima immediately called at the legation and expressed regrets for the incident.

THEIR ANNUAL CONCERT AND DANCE

Some of Lowell's best talent contributed to the entertainment staged by the Burke Temperance Institute in Associate hall last evening. The affair was the annual concert and dance by the institute and as usual was attended by a goodly number of members and friends. The following took part in the concert: Martin Maguire, Commissioner James E. Donnelly, Miss Lauretta Fremont, William Mahoney and Charles Keyes.

The officers of the affair were: James Wynne, general manager; William Geary, assistant general manager; William Mahoney, floor director; Frank Donovan, assistant floor director, and members of the institute as aids.

RUNAWAY QUICKLY STOPPED

Considerable commotion and excitement was aroused in Merrimack square yesterday when the wheels of a wagon drawn by a horse owned by C. Coffin contractor and builder of this city, became lodged in the frog of a street car track. As the wagon became caught in the track the horse continued to pull and dragged the driver off his seat into the street. Fortunately the driver sustained nothing more serious than a slightly injured right knee. After making his getaway the horse ran through the square until it reached Central street where it was stopped by Cornelius Desmond. The driver, assisted by Traffic Officer Connors and others, succeeded in dislodging the wagon from the tracks and then hitched up the horse and continued on his journey.

WHIST AND SMOKER

There was a large attendance at the whist and smoker conducted last evening by Industry council, R.A., in Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street. The program was under the direction of Charles Fox, chairman of the standing entertainment committee and it proved very enjoyable. Suitable prizes were awarded the winners and at the close of the card game entertainment numbers were given.

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The Alkaline Effect of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets Usually Corrects the Stomach Faults That Provoke Attacks of Indigestion or Dyspepsia

To sit back after a good meal and know there is not going to be sour risings, gas, drowsiness and discomfort is the logical result of using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets immediately after eating. Most people believe they can trace each attack of indigestion to the something they ate and can still "taste." And it surprises them invariably, to note how quickly relief comes after using one or two of these tablets. Whether it is highly seasoned food, rich pastry, the heavy, hearty foods or some one particular offender the relief comes just the same. Those who are susceptible to attacks of indigestion or dyspepsia should try Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets as they supply the stomach with an alkaline effect just as it does naturally when it is working in a perfectly healthy condition.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are so widely known and used that you can get them in any drug store in the United States and Canada at 50 cents a box.—Adv.

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See the New Dresses
See the New Waists
See the New Skirts

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
For those who care to anticipate their coat or suit wants for Easter—
200 Suits selling to $59.75, at....$45.00
325 Coats selling to $47.50, at....$35.00

Cherry & Webb
12-18 JOHN STREET

ST. PATRICK'S DAY MINSTREL AND SOCIAL

A minstrel and social under the auspices of St. John's church marked the observance of the feast of St. Patrick in North Chelmsford last evening. The affair, which was in charge of Rev. Fr. Linehan, assisted by John McQuade, was conducted in the town hall in the North village and was largely attended. The program of the evening proved most enjoyable, while the receipts of the affair, which will be devoted to parish work, were very substantial.

Opening chorus; end song, "My Name is Kelly," John McQuade; solo, "Mother Machree," Miss Helen Quigley; Irish jig, Helena Conners; end song, "Won't You Bring Back?" Archie Boudreau; solo, Miss Loretta Barry; Irish reading, Helena Conners; solo, "Machusla," James McManus; end song, "All the Quakers," Richard Lyons; solo, "I'll Take You Back, Kathleen," Miss Esther Holloway; saxaphone selection, John McCann; solo, Miss Theresa McCarron; end song, "The Irish Were Egyptians Long Ago," Leo Pope; solo, "Tumble Down Shack in Athlone," Henry Driscoll; Spanish dance, Helena Conners; specialty (comedy) Ed. Lucy; end song, "Come Over and Play Wiz Me," Bernard Pope; solo, Miss May Wynne; violin selection, Miss Ruth Ward; end song, "I Used to Call Her Baby," Francis O'Brien; grand finale, entire company.

A goodly sum was also realized by the Busy Bees, who, under the direction of Mrs. Arthur J. Rousseau, conducted a sale of useful and fancy articles in the lower town hall.

COMMUNICATIONS

To the Editor of The Sun:

Dear Sir—When a person is injured and receives compensation under the terms of the workmen's compensation act, what is the attitude of the authorities if the person in question dies before the full amount of compensation is paid? Do they pay the burial expenses or any part of them?

CONSTANT READER.

The industrial accident board assists in the burial expenses in such cases as the foregoing, but not to an amount exceeding $100. When such money is paid, it is taken out of the money that would otherwise go to the dependents of the deceased. Detailed information on this subject may be secured by writing to the Industrial Accident board, Room 272, State House, Boston.

BUYS PEVEY FOUNDRY

The Saco-Lowell Shop has purchased the plant of the Pevey Foundry, Inc., at 221 Walker street, to serve as an auxiliary to the Kitson Machine Shop. The Pevey Foundry Co. is one of the oldest in the city. It was established in 1871 and in 1907 was incorporated under the firm name of Pevey Foundry Co., Inc.

Boys Fight Fire in Industrial School

SHIRLEY, March 18.—The 250 inmates of the Industrial School for Boys were without a place to prepare their food today, as a result of a fire which destroyed the kitchen and the laundry. The blaze, which came in the early morning, was fought by the boys, the town fire department being unable to get apparatus over the snow-filled roads. The boys checked the flames after one of the dormitories was partly burned. The loss was about $10,000.

Sheriff Finds Jail Empty—Prisoners Flee

STEUBENVILLE, Ohio, March 18.—Sheriff W. T. Baker awoke this morning to find the county jail empty. Some time after midnight, the eight prisoners held on various charges sawed and cut their way to liberty. Searchers failed to find trace of them.

Great Indignation by Attack at La Paz

LA PAZ, March 15.—Great indignation has been caused here by an attack upon Col. Comes, of the Bolivian aviation service, by a party of 40 Peruvians. The colonel was attacked with stones and sticks and quite painfully injured, it is said.

Finnish Troops Forced To Flee

HELSINGFORS, March 18.—Finnish troops have been forced to evacuate their positions north of Lake Ladoga and retire northwestward in the diection of Porajaervi, according to an official statement by the Finnish general staff, which reports severe fighting with the Bolsheviki yesteday. The village of Soujaervi is said to have been almost destroyed.

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Miss Virginie Montplaisir Mrs. Imelda Dufort Miss Lena Gendron Mrs. Anne Tourtlott

Bear's Heart is Breaking As He Waits For His Soldier Pal

"Stanton," the big Cinnamon bear, waiting faithfully but in vain for the return of Joey, his soldier pal, who sleeps in Flanders Field

BY SERGEANT P. H. McGEE.

(Head of Mounted Police in Golden Gate Park, San Francisco, who has been friend and student of animals for 40 years.)

"No, you're not Joey. Have you seen Joey? Why doesn't he come back?"

If I know anything about bear talk and bear emotions, this is what Stanton, the big Cinnamon, says to every stranger who stops before the cage. Always Stanton greets them with the same inquiring expression, the same look of disappointed expectation the same shrug of forlorn resignation.

More than two years now Stanton has waited for the return of his friend, Joey, the soldier boy who brought to us his little cub pet before he went to France. For months we have known that Joey will never return, that he now lies buried somewhere in the Argonne.

But we can't tell Stanton; we can't speak his language. So he never loses hope. From dawn until dark he paces his paddock alone, for he will make friends with none. He awaits Joey, his companion who will take him back to the mountains whence they both came.

When Joey brought Stanton to us he wore his new soldier's uniform. He gulped and whispered things into Stanton's shaggy ear—things about the hills and forests of Northern California where they would return after the big job was finished. And Stanton seemed to understand.

Climbing the tallest tree in his runway, the bear watched his friend depart, and every day for weeks thereafter he maintained his post at the tree top. He's now grown too big to climb the tree, but the faithful watch continues.

Always the same little sniff of half fearful hope, then the same little droop of bitter disappointment. Stanton's wistful loyalty is one of the most pathetic cases that have come under my observation in many years spent among animals. For Joey will never return.

NEAR EAST CONDITIONS

Described in Moving Picture Shown at Keith's Theatre Yesterday

"Out of the Garden of Eden," a moving picture produced under the direction of the Hoover commission to show conditions now existing in the Near East, was presented yesterday afternoon at Keith's theatre from 5 to 6 o'clock to arouse interest in the Near East relief movement. The showing was private, but there was a large attendance. It was staged under the auspices of the Massachusetts committee on Near East relief of which Hon. Augustus Loring is state chairman, Rev. William F. English, Jr., of this city, executive secretary, and Mayor Perry D. Thompson, chairman for Lowell.

The pictures were explained by Rev. Mr. English and they gave a detailed idea of the suffering of the peoples in the Russian Caucasus. The opening scenes showed peaceful villages lying around Mt. Ararat and brought out the beauty of the homeland of the oldest Christian nation in the world, the Armenians.

The small Armenian army that defended its country from the Turks, even after being deserted by the Russians was also shown and the crude devices by which the gallant fighters kept their supply department in operation showed the handicaps under which they fought.

There followed scenes of suffering among the civilians, one of them showing women searching in the streets for a few seeds of grain from which to pound flour.

The more inspiring scenes were those showing the excellent relief work being done by the American Near East relief committee, the unloading of vast supplies of food, its distribution to the outlying sections and the joy it brought to those who had been suffering for months. Scenes in the hospitals established by the relief committee were also most interesting. Some of the 40,000 waifs who are being taken care of by the relief committee were shown at play.

An outstanding feature of the pictures was the inevitable smile on the faces of the sufferers. No matter how sad their plight they were ready to smile when the camera-man made his visit.

The pictures were shown to arouse an interest in the relief work of the Near East committee and an active campaign will be staged here later. The commission has prepared a table showing how much is necessary to keep an orphan for one month. Five dollars a month provides food for one orphan; $10, food, clothes and shelter, and $15, food, clothes, shelter and school.

INVESTIGATE FIRE HAZARD IN LOWELL

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, March 15.—Rep. Henry Achin, Jr., has filed in the house, on behalf of the committee on rules, a favorable report on the order introduced by Senator Frank H. Putnam, asking that the state fire marshall be directed to investigate the fire hazard in Lowell, particularly in the Highlands district, and to report to the municipal council not later than May 15 of this year.

The committee on counties filed a favorable report on the bill of Dist-Atty. Nathan A. Tufts, provising that he may appoint an additional assistant.

The public service committee filed a favorable report on a bill to increase the salaries of janitors of the state textile schools. The bill reported establishes a salary of $1000 for the first year of service; $1200 for the next two years; $1300 for the next two, and $1400 after five years. HOYT.

UNITED STATES LEADS

Building More Warship Tonnage Than Any Other Nation, Say Naval Experts

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The United States, American naval experts say, is building more warship tonnage than any other nation.

Twelve superdreadnaughts and six great battle cruisers, aggregating 665,400 tons, are under construction in private and navy yards. They will carry a total of 152 16-inch and 24 14-inch rifles and all will have the new electric drive engines.

With the completion of this fleet, probably in 1923, the United States will have a battle force of 19 superdreadnaughts and six battle cruisers in the first line and eight dreadnaughts and a number of smaller battleships in the second line.

American naval men say that among the world's fighting craft the six battle cruisers and six of the new battleships—the South Dakota, Montana, North Carolina, Massachusetts, Indiana and Iowa—will be in a class by themselves. The cruisers will have a speed of about 33 knots—37 land miles—and each will carry eight 16-inch guns. They will be 874 feet long overall; 90 feet wide, will displace 33,500 tons, and have 180,000 horse power.

The six superdreadnaughts will be even more powerful, each mounting in its main battery, 12 16-inch rifles. They will be 684 feet long; 105 feet broad and displace 43,200 tons. Their speed will be 23 knots and horse power 60,000.

These ships and the battles cruisers are just now being gotten under way but most of the other six battleships are well on the road to completion. The Maryland, to be launched at Newport News Saturday, and the Colorado, Washington and West Virginia will carry eight 16-inch rifles each, will be 624 feet long, 93 feet beam, and displace 32,500 tons. Their speed will be 21 knots and horse power 29,000.

The Tennessee, to be commissioned in May and the California, will carry 12 14-inch rifles and will be 624 feet long, 97 feet broad, and displace 32,000 tons. Their speed also will be 21 knots and their horse power 28,500.

In addition to these 18 capital ships, the navy is building a number of destroyers, submarines and auxiliaries, and while no new construction is likely to be authorized this year, congress is expected in another year to provide for at least one and perhaps more capital ships as well as for a number of smaller vessels, including flotilla leaders, scout cruisers and submarines.

TRY MAGNESIA FOR STOMACH TROUBLE

It Neutralizes Stomach Acidity, Prevents Food Fermentation, Sour, Gassy Stomach and Acid Indigestion

Doubtless if you are a sufferer from indigestion, you have already tried pepsin, bismuth, soda, charcoal, drugs and various digestive aids and you know these things will not cure your trouble—in some cases do not even give relief.

But before giving up hope and deciding you are a chronic dyspeptic just try the effect of a little bisurated magnesia—not the ordinary commercial carbonate, citrate, oxide or milk, but the pure bisurated magnesia which you can obtain from practically any druggist in either powdered or tablet form. Take a teaspoonful of the powder or two compressed tablets with a little water after your next meal, and see what a difference this makes. It will instantly neutralize the dangerous, harmful acid in the stomach which now causes your food to ferment and sour, making gas, wind, flatulence, heartburn and the bloated or heavy, lumpy feeling that seems to follow most everything you eat.

You will find that provided you take a little bisurated magnesia immediately after a meal, you can eat almost anything and enjoy it without any danger of pain or discomfort to follow and moreover, the continued use of the bisurated magnesia cannot injure the stomach in any way so long as there are any symptoms of acid indigestion. —Adv.

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MINSTREL SHOW BY M.T.I. OF NORTH BILLERICA IN TALBOT MEMORIAL HALL

Thomas Talbot Memorial hall in North Billerica was last evening the scene of a pretty gathering, the occasion being an Irish minstrelsy given under the auspices of the Father Mathew Total Abstinence society in observance of St. Patrick's day. The entertainment was given under the supervision of John T. Fairbrother, assisted by Miss Agnes Lyons. William S. Taylor acted the part of interlocutor, while the ends were Miss Lillian Barton, Miss Helen Roach, Richard Condon and Raymond Morris. Carroll J. Delehanty was stage director.

The program was as follows:

Jimmie Valentine,
Featured by Master Charles McNulty and chorus.
Grand Irish overture,
Introducing: Sons of Ireland, Let Erin Remember, The Harp That Once Thro' Tara's Hall, The Minstrel Boy, Come Back to Erin and To Erin's Isle.
End song, My Name is Kelley,
Miss Lillian Barton
Ballad, When Irish Eyes Are Smiling,
Miss Madeline O'Loughlin
Ballad, Let's Help the Irish Now,
Miss Lena Carrigan
End song, I'm Going to Take the Next Boat Back to Ireland,
Raymond Morris
Ballad, Boy of Mine,
Miss Catherine Monahan
Dance, Sailor's hornpipe,
"Baby" Margaret Mooney
Ballad, Every Tear is a Smile,
Mrs. Mary Heyward
Ballad, Let the Rest of the World Go By .... Miss Sadie Hudson
End song, Hippity Hop,
Miss Helen Roach
Song, You'd be Surprised,
Master Bernard Knoff
Irish dances .... Miss Doris Conley
Ballad, I Love You Just the Same Sweet Adeline,
Mr. Charles E. Fairbrother
End song, The Irish Were Egyptians Long Ago,
Mr. Richard F. Condon
Finale, Since Home Rule's Come to Ireland,
Entire Chorus.

Pianist, Miss Theresa Lyons; musical director, Mr. John F. Fairbrother; interlocutor, Mr. William S. Taylor; stage director, Mr. Carroll Delehanty.

Committee in charge: President Charles S. Lyons, general manager; Vice President John Maxwell, assistant general manager; John R. Kiggins, treasurer; Thomas Higgins, floor director; Richard Condon, Thomas Sheridan, Francis McNulty, William S. Taylor, John S. Welsh, Louis Mahoney, Arthur Gannon, John Hayes, J. P. Mullin, John Trainor, Joseph Kearney, Carroll Delehanty.

Chorus: Lillian Barton, Sadie Hudson, Catherine Monahan, Lena Carrigan, May Hayes, Frances Carlson, Josephine Robinson, Elizabeth O'Brien, Isabelle Mahoney, Anna Hayes, Helen Hayes, Theresa Sheehan, Vera Brick, Theresa Brick, Katherine Brick, May Fitzgerald, Katherine Fitzgerald, Minnie Concannon, Mary Martin, Dorris Conley, Madeline O'Loughlin, May Collins, Madeline Armstrong, Mrs. Mina Prevy, Mrs. Mary Heyward and "Baby" Margaret Mooney, William Condon, Bart Hayes, Joseph O'Brien, Howard Conway, Harry Collinge, Edward Hennessy, Francis McNulty, Edward Gannon, Edward Mahoney, Charles Buckley, John Maxwell, Thomas Higgins, Leo Desmond, William Mullin, Anthony Mullin, Anthony O'Brien, Francis Collins, James Duffy, Charles Mahoney, Willis LeLacheur, Thomas Barton, Edward Barton, Louis Mahoney, Richard Condon, Raymond Morris, Charles Fairbrother, Harry Condon, Joseph Collins, Francis Lyons, Edward Collins, Augustine Condon, Master Bernard Knoff.

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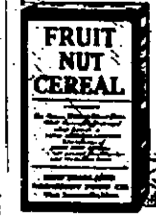

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53 CENTRAL STREET **CENTRAL BLOCK**

HOLD LAWRENCE WOMAN IN $1000

Arrested on Suspicion of Having Been Implicated in Death of Moore

LAWRENCE, March 18.—Mrs. Sarah Rooney, arrested here yesterday on suspicion that she may have been implicated in the death of Robert C. Moore of Greenville Junction, Me., with whose murder William C. Pomeroy, said to have passed as husband of Mrs. Rooney, is charged, was arraigned in the district court today on a charge of being a fugitive from justice. She pleaded not guilty and was ordered held under $1000 for a preliminary hearing tomorrow.

The local police received word from Dover, Me., officials to hold Mrs. Rooney until authorities from Maine arrive.

DOVER, Me., March 18.—A detective who has been investigating the murder of Robert C. Moore at Greenville Junction was on his way to Massachusetts today to interview Mrs. Sadie Rooney, who was arrested at Lawrence at the request of the Maine authorities.

It was not understood here that she was implicated in the murder, but the officials desired to question her in reference to the charge that William Pomeroy under arrest here with Jesse D. Scott, murdered Moore with robbery as a motive.

Martin L. Durgin, retained by Scott, had a long interview today with his client. Deputy Sheriff Adelbert Rogers of Greenville has been here since yesterday but it was not known whether he had talked with Scott.

STENOGRAPHERS

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The hardening of the rubber platen, loss of its resiliency and gripping power is a condition that has existed since the advent of the typewriter. Therefore a letterhead, card or envelopp placed in the machine slips, and the finished work is out of alignment, especially true as the typist approaches the bottom of the paper. This means countless dollars in time and stationery wasted every year.

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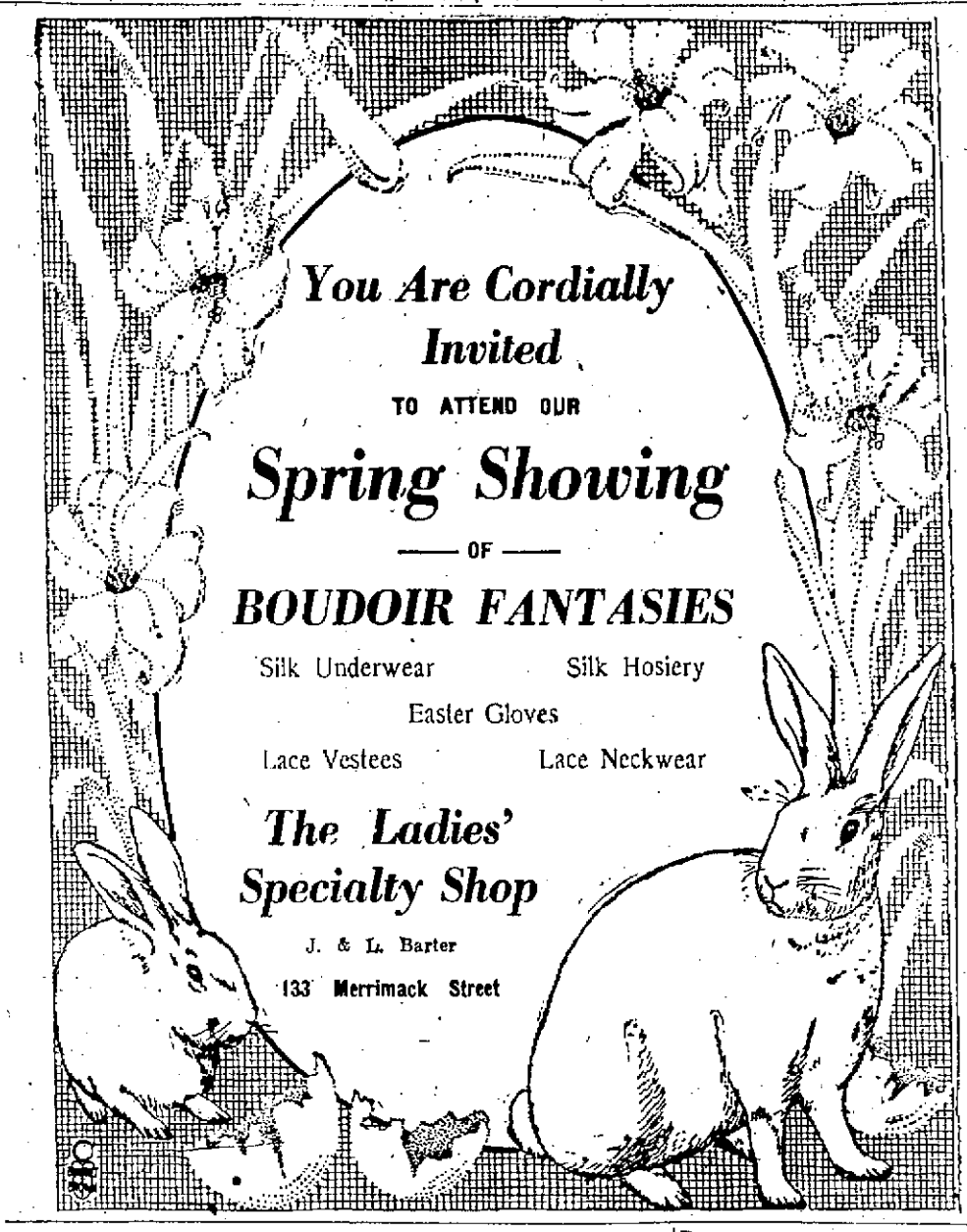
TAKING THE JOY OUT OF LIFE

Four laborers and one teamster of the street department will have to sever their connections with the department next Saturday, according to Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy, because of a ruling of the civil service commission that they have not been legally employed. Mr. Murphy says that the teamster in question has been in the department for the past 11 months and had also been employed there before the war. However, he has no alternative but to discharge the men on Saturday.



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LAST CALL

Only three more days, and your opportunity to save from 50 to 100% on your spring hat will be gone. The advance millinery sale which we have conducted for the past week will wind up next Saturday night. Can you afford to let this opportunity slip by, at a time when so many are worrying about the price of their headwear? Why pay 10 or 15 dollars for your hat if you can get the same thing from us for half that amount?

Other milliners are worrying to death about our price cutting. They can't conceive why we should slaughter prices at the beginning of a season. Our answer is—we bought cheap, we sell cheap. We price our goods in harmony with our overhead expense which is small. We are anxious to see you—**WE MEAN YOU**—in our store to show our hats and prices. We know we can sell you, but you must see prices elsewhere to realize the saving.

We quote no prices, but leave it to you to investigate.

We specialize on children's headwear.

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DAD'S "BOARD OF CENSORS" KEEPS HIS SHOWS CLEAN

BY JIM MARSHALL
N.E.A. Staff Correspondence

SPOKANE, Wash., March 13.—Back stage at the Hippodrome theatre here is this sign: "No hells or damns allowed on this stage."

The youngest board of censors in the world has banned that kind of language.

"Doc" C. S. Crews, operating Loew circuit houses in the northwest including the Hippodrome, is the man who has solved the censorship problem.

He owns his own board!

Board members number seven—four boys and three girls. To them Crews answers to the name of "Dad."

They're known as "Crews' Crew." They censor every show that comes to the Hipp. If the acts don't meet with their approval they tell their manager-father.

"The youngsters keep the shows clean," says Crews. "I don't want other people's children to see or hear acts my own kiddies can't see or hear."

Try Making Your Own Cough Remedy

You can save about $2, and have a better remedy than the ready-made kind. Easily done.

If you combined the curative properties of every known "ready-made" cough remedy, you probably could not get as much real curative power as there is in this simple home-made cough syrup, which is easily prepared in a few minutes.

Get from any druggist 2½ ounces of Pinex, pour it into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with syrup, using either plain granulated sugar syrup, clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, as desired. The result is a full pint of really better cough syrup than you could buy ready-made for three times the money. Tastes pleasant and never spoils.

This Pinex and Syrup preparation gets right at the cause of a cough and gives almost immediate relief. It loosens the phlegm, stops the nasty throat tickle and heals the sore, irritated membranes so gently and easily that it is really astonishing.

A day's use will usually overcome the ordinary cough and for bronchitis, croup, hoarseness and bronchial asthma, there is nothing better.

Pinex is a most valuable concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, and has been used for generations to break up severe coughs.

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INDIGESTION

is the direct cause of nearly all the ailments that afflict the human system, make life a burden instead of a pleasure, and shorten the lives of many.

SEVEN BARKS composed of the extracts of leaves, roots and herbs, has been the most efficient remedy for the quick relief of indigestion and all stomach and liver troubles for nearly half a century.

SEVEN BARKS is a highly concentrated, purely vegetable compound, having a specific action on the stomach, liver and kidneys. It promotes healthy action of the organs of digestion, and eradicates all impurities from the system, enriches the blood, and thus imparts health and tone to every part of the body.

We wish we had the space to publish the testimonials voluntarily given which prove without doubt that SEVEN BARKS possesses curative and strengthening properties not found in many other medicines.

Get at the root of your Indigestion and Constipation by driving all poisons and impurities out of your system for good. SEVEN BARKS has been successful in doing this for over half a century. No matter how chronic or helpless is your case, you can get quick relief by taking this great remedy.

If you want to enjoy life, and have the glow of health, get SEVEN BARKS of your druggist. Costs but 60 cents per bottle.—Adv.

Resumption of Freight Traffic

Continued

and clerks in shovelling out the rail highways. As a consequence, repair work lagged far behind and the road is just beginning to catch up with itself.

The New York, New Haven & Hartford road has not yet reached the point in its period of convalescence when it can pull down its embargoes or see normal conditions immediately ahead. The local freight office still reports a scarcity of empty cars, with only a fair supply for every-day needs. Embargoes are still on in relation to all shipments on steamship lines to New York, and by rail to Providence and Worcester.

The New Haven is dumping much more freight than usual at its Lowell terminal and will appreciate every effort on the part of local consignees to remove less than car load lots as quickly as possible. "We fully appreciate the co-operation already accorded us," said one official today, "but we urge all shippers and consignees to help us still more. The greater becomes the congestion in local houses, the slower becomes our progress in clearing up the business in the hope of a quick resumption of normal service."

PILES ARE ABSORBED NEVER TO RETURN

Says Any Sufferer Who Tries Miro Internal Treatment Will Find This Statement True

Mrs. E. Walhelon of Dayton, O., writes: "Regarding your wonderful discovery, Miro. I tried almost every kind of pile remedy on the market, read about Miro and after taking one bottle can truthfully say I am entirely cured. There is no pile remedy on the market to compare with Miro. I can't praise it enough and the price is so small compared to its wonderful merits. Anybody afflicted with piles who tries a bottle will find this statement true."

The discoverer of Miro desires all sufferers to know that he doesn't want a cent of anyone's money unless Miro Pile Remedy conquers even the worst cases and he has instructed druggists all over the country to guarantee it in every instance. Ask Fred Howard about it. He sells lots of it.—Adv.

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Your Present Wage Insufficient to Plan a Definite Future
You Want Permanent Work Where Wages and Advancement Depend Upon Your Own Efforts

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Enormous Expansion is Now Offering this Opportunity to 2000 Skilled and Unskilled Men in Good Physical Condition.

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GIRL with some experience wanted to work in tailor shop. 12 Lakeview ave.

EXPERIENCED MEAT CUTTER wanted; also an experienced market man. None but experienced need apply. Depot Cash market, 357 Middlesex street.

RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS, hundreds needed; average $125 month. List positions open—free. Write Franklin Institute, Dept. 166 C, Rochester, N. Y.

GIRLS, learners and experienced help for worsted mill out of town; good wages, good board, good working conditions; fares advanced; family help accommodated. Meet Supt. Wednesday at Middlesex Service Bureau, 169 Middlesex street.

WINDERS wanted for carpet mill, 30 miles from Lowell. Learners paid $18 weekly. Board $6.00. Apply at once. Middlesex Service Bureau, 169 Middlesex st.

TWO LABORERS wanted. Apply St. Patrick's cemetery.

GIRLS for factory work out of town; learners taken and paid well; good board and room $6 weekly; no trouble. Meet supt. Wednesday at Middlesex Service Bureau, 169 Middlesex st. Families with female workers moved.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced, wishes position. Has knowledge of typewriting. References. Address K-19, Sun Office.

BOY wanted as baker's helper. Apply Fairburn's market at once.

FAMILY HELP for worsted and cotton mills out of town; moving expenses paid. Middlesex Service Bureau, 169 Middlesex st.

REELER AND JACK SPOOLERS wanted at once. Apply American Woolen Co., Wamesit mill, Howe st.

GOOD SHOEMAKER wanted. Apply Coughlin, 10 Prescott st.

WORSTED CAP SPINNERS, ring twisters, doffers, speeder tenders, out of town; will take learners; excellent wages; first class board and room; fares advanced; families accommodated and moved. Meet supt. Wednesday, Middlesex Service Bureau, 169 Middlesex st.

SHOEMAKER wanted. Apply John—The Shoeman, 157 Broadway. Tel. 1965-J.

FIRST CLASS PAINTERS, paper hangers and whitewashers wanted at once. Call at Max Goldstein, 155 Chelmsford st.

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50 REFRIGERATORS wanted; also 50 gas ranges at once. A. S. Edwards, 531 Dutton st. Tel. 5687-W.

ANTIQUES and old fashioned goods of all kinds wanted. Highest prices paid. A. S. Edwards, 531 Dutton st. Tel. 5687-W.

CHILDREN, two years or over, wanted to board. Mrs. Williams, Huron st., Kenwood.

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CHIN LEE CO.—Chop Suey, American food. Nicest place in the city. Open from 11 a. m. to 1 a. m. 65 Merrimack st.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

8-ROOM HOUSE near 5th avenue for sale, hot and cold water, bath, poultry house; excellent location. Price $3200. D. F. Leary, Hildreth bldg.

6-ROOM COTTAGE with bath for sale; near Shaw street; dandy repair; large yard. Price $2400. D. F. Leary, Hildreth bldg.

TWO-TENEMENT HOUSE near Westford street for sale; 5 rooms each, all hardwood floors, steam heat, baths; garage. Price $5800. D. F. Leary, Hildreth bldg.

REAL BARGAINS

NEAR DEPOT—Splendid 3-flat, 6 and 7 good rooms, new baths, set tubs, hot water, ash shutes, verandas. Owner leaving town. Income $800. Cut price $6500
TWO TENEMENTS—5 and 8 rooms, rents over $400 year.....$3100
NICE COTTAGE—7 rooms, furnace heat, fine condition, easy terms, $2600
DANDY 4-TENEMENT—6 rooms, baths. Income $816 year....$7500
Good list investments and homes.
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ROOF LEAKS, all kinds repaired by experts. King, the Roofer. Tel. 5949-W.

JACKSON, the roofer, will give you an estimate free on roof leak repairing and new roofing of all kinds. Tel. 2430-M during noon hour or after 5 p. m., 153 Summer st.

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for ambitious men and women who are anxious to increase their earning, also increase the earnings of others, on part or full time. Not a get-rich-quick scheme. No experience necessary. Apply any day 9 to 5 or Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings. Room 602, Blakeley Bldg., 477 Essex St., Lawrence.

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Shoe Salesman
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TO LET

HOUSE to let about March 25; 5 rooms, bath and pantry; pleasant, sunny; within 10 minutes' walk from Merrimack sq. Rent $5.00 week. Write J-5, Sun Office.

4 AND 5-TON TRUCK to let by day or hour. P. Cogger. Tel. 2970.

ALL KINDS OF SUITS. A. M. Bertrand, merchant tailor, 24 Middle st. Tel. 573.

ROOM to let in private family; gentleman preferred. 82 Walker st. Tel. 2821-W.

FURNISHED ROOM to let with board, two gentlemen preferred. 11 Webster st. Tel. 5327-W.

STORE to rent, 482 Lawrence st. Large, bright; rent reasonable. Write A-7, Sun Office.

2-ROOM KITCHENETTE, newly decorated, nicely furnished, in private house, to let. Heat and electric light supplied. Write K-97, Sun Office.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let and light housekeeping rooms, 512½ Central st.

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FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping and single rooms to let, steam heat and bath. Parkview House, 161 East Merrimack st. Tel. 1552-M.

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NEW 5-ROOM FLAT to let with modern improvements. 18 Belmont ave. Inquire J. B. Bernier, 91 West Sixth st. Tel. 4047-M.

LOST AND FOUND

BLACK VELVET BAG lost Saturday evening, between Chapel street and Tower's corner, containing sum of money and rosary beads. Reward. Return 976 Gorham st.

BLACK FUR NECK PIECE lost Mar. 8, either in Opera House or from there there to 100 Branch st. Reward if returned.

AUTO TIRE lost on Riverside street Saturday night. Tel. 4608-W. Reward.

HAVE YOUR AUTOMOBILE TOP RECOVERED BY SPARKS' HARNESS CO.
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SPECIAL NOTICE

ROOMS PAPERED, including stock, $3.50. Whitewashing, painting, and plastering. J. J. Hayden, 40 Union st.

YOU CAN EXCHANGE or sell your books, records and player rolls at Merritt's Bookstore, 247 Middlesex st.

HOUSE PAINTING, paper hanging, graining, kalsomining, wall papers and room moulding. O. W. Frye, 66 Walker st.

NOTICE—If you like to draw we will show you how to earn money in spare time. State age and where employed. Address Box 221, Lynn.

HAVE YOUR OLD CARPETS made into new rugs. Carpets and rugs cleaned. Prices reasonable. Economy Rug Works, 607 Middlesex st. 'Phone 458.

LIMBURG CO.—Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge st. Tel.

UPHOLSTERING, furniture repairing. G. Gott, 384 Bridget st., Tel.

J. H. BOYLE, fire insurance and real estate. 64 Central st. Tel. 4257.

JUNK, PAPER AND RAGS of all kinds bought. B. Obesstein, 240 Chelmsford street. Tel. 2254.

STOVE REPAIRS

THE QUINN STOVE REPAIR CO. has removed to 140 Middlesex st., cor. Elliot st. Grates, linings, and other parts to fit all stoves and ranges are carried in stock. More room—better service. Work promptly attended to. Tel. 4170.

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Investigate methods of treatment.
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Consultation. Examination. Advice. FREE

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WE HAVE A PIANO, practically new, just returned by one of our customers near Boston which we will sell for about half the price of a new one, and we will make the payments very reasonable. Standard make, mahogany upright; delivered free of expense with chair and scarf. Address K-14, Sun Office.

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MADAM MAY—If in trouble come and see her. 53 John st.

MADAM JAMES, clairvoyant of the world, will bring back absent friends, renew love and contract business. 672 Merrimack st.

MADAM CECIL, scientific palmist and medium, tells past, present and future. Consultation on life, love and business affairs. French and English spoken. Business hours, 10 a. m. to 9 p. m., except Sundays. 40 John st.

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FURNITURE MOVING, local and long distance. Freight hauling and party work. Lowell Trucking Co., 21 Thorndike st. Tel. 1876 or 2845-W.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Division To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.
5.20	6.40	2.45	3.32
6.23	7.26	6.00	7.08
6.44	7.30	7.35	8.28
6.51	7.38	a6.31	9.37
b6.30	7.53	9.00	9.39
6.57	8.00	10.00	10.38
7.56	8.51	11.30	12.09
9.01	9.42	12.30	1.11
10.05	11.05	b1.05	1.58
11.13	11.56	2.15	3.15
12.10	1.13	2.50	3.41
1.47	2.35	4.00	4.41
2.45	3.42	4.03	5.37
b3.30	4.12	5.00	5.41
4.00	4.45	b5.21	6.43
4.12	5.25	5.38	6.25
5.23	6.14	b5.50	7.13
5.39	6.40	6.14	7.23
b6.05	7.25	8.00	8.41
6.25	7.10	8.30	9.11
8.16	9.00	10.30	11.40
9.55	10.41	11.30	12.35

Portland Division To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.
6.33	7.36	x5.25	8.22
10.35	11.03	10.35	11.38
5.11pm	8.45	3.25	4.44
7.12	8.25	8.14	8.13
9.50	11.01	8.35	8.16
		9.50	11.13
Sunday Trains Portland Division			
12.07	1.20	3.29	4.41
3.40	4.46	5.10	8.43
5.11	7.10	8.43	9.54
8.55	10.05		
Sunday Trains Southern Division			
8.41	7.30	8.45	9.51
6.51	7.38	9.30	10.06
8.25	9.33	11.30	11.05
9.19	10.12	1.00	2.56
10.20	11.17	5.30	6.24
2.31	3.33	7.15	8.18
5.08	6.06	8.00	8.45
6.31	7.20	8.30	9.15
8.16	8.00	9.25	10.35
8.50	10.00	10.35	11.44
9.55	10.45		

b via Bedford; a via Salem Jct., x via Wilmington Jct. n not holidays. h Sat. only

SAYS WOOD MEN USED STRONG-ARM TACTICS

DETROIT, Mich., March 18.—The Minnesota republican primary was characterized as a "pretence" and the "first strong-arm tactics of the 1920 campaign," by Senator Hiram W. Johnson, in a signed statement issued here today. He charged that "the republican state machine is in absolute control" of affairs in Minnesota.

"This machine," the statement declares, "has been conducting the Wood campaign."

Although the state's presidential preference primary law has been repealed, Senator Johnson said, "the republican organization in Minnesota called what it termed a primary, with a preferential one-hour vote for president."

"When recently I was in Minnesota, I demanded a half day in which voters might express themselves. Following this Hoover and Lowden forces made a similar demand. Of course, the machine, contemplating a mere fake primary, which might be used to influence other states, paid no attention to our demand."

TRIAL OF ALLEGED DRAFT EVADER ENDS

NEW YORK, March 18.—Court-martial on Governors Island of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, wealthy Philadelphian, charged with desertion in evading the draft, ended abruptly yesterday when his counsel announced no defense would be offered because they believed the government had failed to establish its case. Official publication of the verdict is expected within a week.

Capt. Bruce R. Campbell, military counsel for Bergdoll, last night said the procedure of the court indicated Bergdoll had been found guilty. After both sides had rested the room was cleared and 20 minutes later Col. William H. Allaire, president of the court, summoned Bergdoll, whose record was read, showing that he had had no previous conviction. Capt. Campbell said this is customary in cases where enlisted men have been found guilty.

Maj. Gen. Robert Lee Bullard or his assignee will review the record before the verdict is announced. Under military law Bergdoll, if convicted, may appeal to President Wilson.

The judge advocate in his argument asked for a sentence of 30 years.

VALUABLE HORSE KILLED

A valuable black horse owned by Joseph Hill of 33 Canton street, and a pet of the Hill family for years, stepped into a cradle hole in Canton street yesterday afternoon and fractured its left foot. Dr. Eaton was called to treat the animal and he in turn notified Officer Gilmore of the Humane society, who ended the horse's suffering with a bullet.

RUSH FOOD TO STARVING SOLDIERS

REVAL, March 18.—Trains of sledges are rushing foods from Helsingfors to Abo, 100 miles west, where exhausted and starving survivors of the central column of the north Russian army have just arrived. This column recently cut its way through the Bolshevik lines on the eastern Finnish frontier. Survivors will eventually be interned at Helsingfors, it is announced.

POPULATION STATISTICS

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Census population statistics for 1920 announced today by the census bureau include:

Port Jervis, N. Y., 10,171, an increase of 607, or 6.3 per cent over 1910.

Beacon, N. Y., 10,936, increase 367, or 3.5 per cent over 1910 combined populations of Fishkill Landing and Matteawan, which were incorporated as the city of Beacon, in 1913.

ATTRACTIVE WINDOWS AT THE BON MARCHE

A bit of June brought into March, best describes the spring opening window display of the Bon Marche Dry Goods company in Merrimack street which has just been completed for public delectation. Rarely has a display artist created so appealing a picture—or rather series of pictures—as now adorn the street front of the well known establishment.

The exhibition is divided into two parts—exhibition rooms, one might call them in the artist's vernacular, and although different colorings are employed, the same tone of lightness, reflective of the spirit of the spring season, predominates both. One is finished in light blue and the other in light green.

The entire effect of both windows, of course, serves to give background and atmosphere to new spring garments for women and girls. Fortunately, the decorator has avoided the common evil so notable in window dressing, overcrowding for the sake of showing as many styles as possible.

There are but three or four models in each window of the present exhibition and at no time does the observer feel any sense of being asked to take in a veritable host of gowns and garments as is ordinarily the case in such displays. The few models that are shown seem to be a natural part of the setting as a whole and in no way intrude on the beauty of the scene.

The first window, finished in light green, is a delightful fantasy in anticipation of spring. The background is of green and white with a border of several feet at the bottom giving substance to the lower half of the scene. Chandeliers, wrought out in the prevailing shades of green and white, suspend overhead and at either end wall-globes, illuminated, give an added touch of brightness. At night, especially, are the latter features very effective.

The other window is finished in the same general style, only in light blue instead of green. A bowl of pussy-willows, artistically touched with blue, is a feature of this window. The display as a whole is one of the prettiest shown in a Lowell window for some time.

Hair Often Ruined By Careless Washing

Soap should be used very carefully, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo at any pharmacy, it's very cheap, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months. —Adv.

RUSHIN' THE SEASON AT ATLANTIC CITY

ATLANTIC CITY, March 18.—Spring is being ushered in a bit ahead of time on the board walk at Atlantic City. Wheel chairs are already doing business with customers clad in furs and winter coats. Above picture shows the season of 1920 getting under way.

Report Kapp Ended Life

Continued

troops have not as yet resumed full control, an attack by the reds is feared.

Throughout Germany radical elements haev in many places taken over direction of affairs, at least temporarily.

Dictatorships Set Up

Proletarian dictatorships have been set up at Dortmund, Gera, Halle, Ohligs, Unna and Gelsenkirchen, according to reports, while in Leipsic workers have driven government troops from teh suburbs of the city and were engaged late yesterday in street fighting. In the Rhenish and Westphalian industrial districts it is said the workers are ready to follow radical leaders.

Fighting Continues

AMSTERDAM, March 18.—Messages from Berlin state that the resignation of Chancellor Kapp resulted in the cessation of strikes in several places. Up to a late hour last night, however, according to Wolff bureau despatches, fighting was continuoing at a number of points in Germany between various military forces on the one side and Spartacan and other armed workmen on the other.

In a number of towns in Westphalia the fighting resulted in the local militia disarming forces of workmen. Rostock, on the Baltic, is reported in rison having fled.

Crowds in Ugly Humor

PARIS, March 18.—Official advices from Berlin describing conditions there on Wednesday night said the public places of the city were filled with crowds in an ugly humor. The military appeared to be of a panicky disposition. Many of the Baltic troops, the advices added, had joined forces with the independent socialists, who were reported to have 12,000 armed men at their command.

Plan to Storm Berlin

BERLIN, March 17.—The railway and postal services will be resumed tomorrow, it was announced tonight.

Rumors have cropped up that armed communists are assembling to storm and occupy the public buildings of Berlin. The city tonight was again in absolute darkness.

REFUSED TO HANDLE CHINESE SECURITIES

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Chinese bond stothe value of 600,000 yen were taken by the Russian soviet agent, Maxim Litvinoff, to Copenhagen wehn he arrived there last November from Moscow to confer with James O'Grady, British representative, over the question of the repatriation of British prisoners of war in Russia.

Reports reaching officials here describe the vain attempts of Litvinoff to dispose of the bonds in Copenhagen. Danish banks with one accord, it was said, refused to handle the Chinese securities. The bonds are supposed to form a small portion of the foreign securities the Russian soviet government obtained from the nationalization of Russian banks.

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Blue Serge Norfolk Suits

8 Years to 18 Years

Single and double breasted styles, guaranteed fast color. Pants full lined and taped seams.

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All the new colorings of gray, tan, green. Single and double breasted styles. Some have two pairs of pants.

Prices $8.50, $10.50, $12.50, $15.00, $18.00, $20.00, $25.00, to $30.00.

We have a few medium weight Winter Suits left, sizes 7, 8, 9, 15, 16, 17, 18, at mark-down prices.

Full Line of BELL BLOUSES, 75c

With soft collar or without, plain white, light stripes, dark stripes, blue chambray and khaki.

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Large Assortment, Sizes 12½ to 14.

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We carry a full line of Boys' Furnishings, Collars, Ties, Belts, Suspenders, Night Shirts, Pajamas, Underwear, Underwaists, Blouses, Shirts, Hats, Caps, Stockings, Garters, Gloves for dress, Gloves for play, in fact everything you need for a boy.

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An Information Bureau.

An Employment Bureau.

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A Community Service Center for men, former service men and civilian members in Dutton Street, The Community Club.

The Promotion of Recreation Centers, Playgrounds, Athletic and Entertainment Park.

The Co-ordination and Co-operation of Groups in their Community Work.

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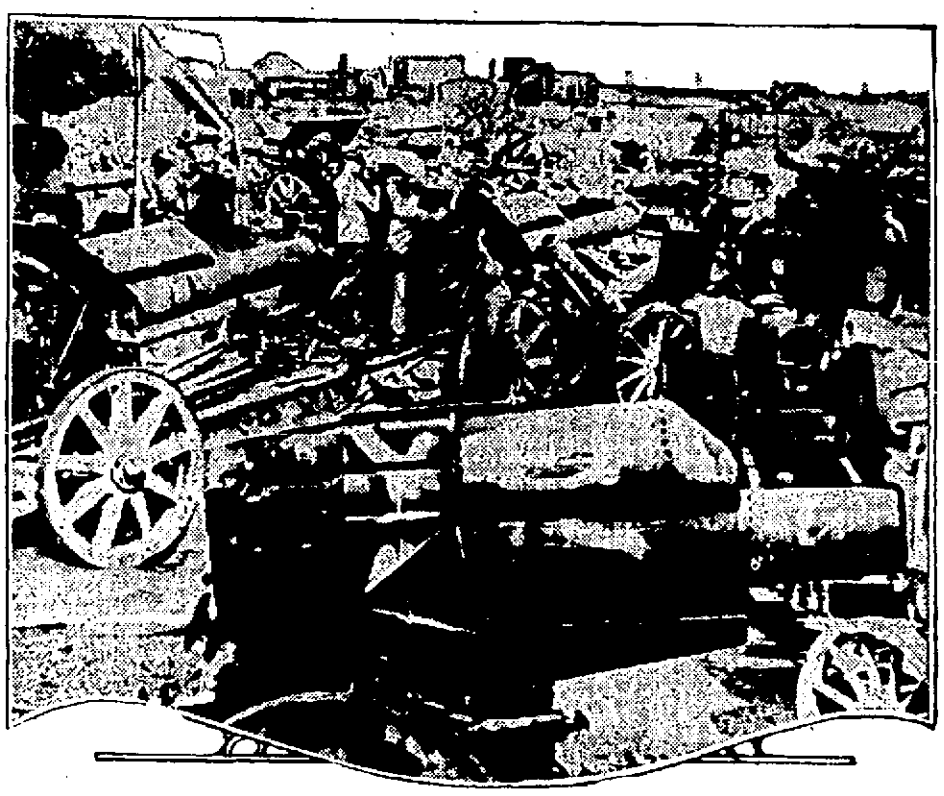

THESE GERMAN GUNS WON'T BARK IF WAR COMES

If civil war, or fighting with other nations, results from the present trouble in Germany, here are some big German guns which will not bark. Above picture shows cannon being dismantled, at the Krupp factory in Germany, preparatory to using the metal for automobile making.

Liquor Raids in New Bedford

NEW BEDFORD, March 18.—Four more arrests were made today by the 30 federal agents in charge of Supervisor William J. McCarthy, of the northern district, who last night started a raid on the hotels and saloons in this city who have been suspected of selling liquor. Two illicit stills were also seized, the total number arrested being 17 at 24 of the places raided by the agents.

All those held by the officers were arraigned late today before Alexander McL. Goodspeed, United States commissioner.

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